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PROMISES TO APPLY PROBE

Attorney General Sus[illegible] us of the Phone Deals.

GETS TIP FROM THE MOUND CITY

To Effect That Bell People Are Behind Deal.

Denman Says That If This Can Be Shown He Will Sue To Abrogate the Sales on the Ground That They Are Violations of the Anti-Trust Law of Ohio—Denman's Knowledge from Newspapers.

Columbus, O., Nov. 25.—Attorney General Denman announced that if proof that Bell telephone interests have purchased Ohio independent telephone lines is submitted to him he will file a suit to knock out the combination.

Mr. Denman said Ohio law is to the effect that one corporation can not acquire the stock of a kindred competing company, and that he would immediately sue to abrogate any deal which violates the law, whenever proof of such violation was given him.

Mr. Denman has been reading newspaper accounts of the alleged operations of the Bell agents to obtain control of the Independents. He said definite proof of the merger of the Bell and Independents had not been given him and that publication of the purchase of Independent lines at Cleveland, Columbus, Dayton, Toledo and Indianapolis had not convinced him that such a combination was being effected, because no one seemed to know the identity of the persons behind the agents making the purchases. Local telephone men have contended all along that they didn't believe the Bell people had bought out leading Ohio Independent interests which have been sold. They have professed ignorance as to the identity of such purchasers, but have made pretty positive assertions that they did not represent the Bell organization.

Missourian Starts Trouble.

A telegram from St. Louis announced that Attorney Samuel B. Jeffries of that city, who had been retained by minority stockholders of the Independent companies to fight the alleged merger, would ask Attorney General Denman to file suit to knock the purchase of Ohio Independent lines.

"If the Jeffries communication contains tangible evidence of the alleged merger, I will fight to the best of my ability to have the deals declared illegal for violating the state anti-trust law," said Mr. Denman.

"Certain published articles made it appear that the Western Union Telegraph company is purchasing telephone lines; these deals might also be declared illegal because of the anti-trust law. Telephone and telegraph companies are kindred concerns.

"If it should develop that the Bell interests have purchased Ohio independent lines this would be in direct violation of the state anti-trust law. Thus far it has developed that James S. Brailey, Jr., of Toledo, has purchased independent plants at Cleveland, Toledo, Indianapolis, the new long-distance company of Indianapolis and the United States Telephone company of Ohio, the long-distance company for this state. F. R. Huntington has purchased the local Citizens' plant and the independent line in Dayton."

Frank A. Davis, president of the Columbus Citizens' Telephone company, said he was positive the American Telegraph and Telephone company, the holding Bell concern, had not acquired any independent lines in Ohio.

"Who purchased the local plant?" was asked.

"I am not at liberty to say now," said he. "Officials are on a fishing expedition to get evidence, but nothing in shape of a merger of Bell and independent lines will be shown."

PECULIAR CASE OF JAMES W. MOORE

Pricks Finger with a Needle and Dies Quickly.

Cleveland, Nov. 25.—James W. Moore, forty-eight, president of the Cleveland Retail Clerks' union, died at Lakeside hospital late Wednesday after an operation by Dr. G. W. Crile for blood-poisoning.

Moore pricked himself in the finger with a needle at his home Tuesday evening, and blood-poisoning set in.

CHASTISEMENT OF ZELAYA DEFERRED

Government Believes Delay Will Help the Insurgents.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Officers of the state department are hopeful that the Nicaraguan crisis will gradually work out its own solution, so that it will not be necessary for the United States to intervene. The government hopes that the moral support which it is giving to the revolutionists will aid them in their campaign against Zelaya. It is believed here that the present delay will operate to the advantage of the revolutionists, who are said to be gaining strength daily.

The navy department has practically completed its preliminary arrangements for any punitive action that may be taken against Nicaragua. The marine detachments at the Philadelphia navy yard and on the Isthmus of Panama are prepared to embark at a moment's notice.

The department received no confirmation of the reports that twenty Americans were imprisoned in Greytown.

Had Impartial Trial.

Panama, Nov. 25. — President Zelaya of Nicaragua has telegraphed to the Nicaraguan representative here, confirming the execution of Leroy Cannon and Leonard Groce. He says that the revolutionists employed the two Americans to mine the San Juan river, and that one of the mines they planted near the steamer Diamante.

Cannon and Groce were captured in flagrante delictu and were tried by a courtmartial. They were amply defended. They pleaded guilty and were condemned to death in accordance with the laws of the republic.

Cannon was engaged in former revolutions. He was captured in Honduras in 1907, but was liberated on his promise not to meddle further in Central American politics.

THE SUCCESSOR TO CLARKSON

Loeb Says Parr and Aldridge Not Considered at Conference.

New York, Nov. 25.—After returning to his desk at the customs house Collector Loeb reiterated the declaration made in Washington that more heads would fall before many days. Appointments of the successors of those who would lose and who had lost their jobs would not be considered until the names of competent men had been assembled from the civil service list. No more removals were announced.

The collector said the announcement while he was in Washington by Secretary MacVeagh of the retirement of James S. Clarkson on Jan. 1 had nothing whatever to do with the housecleaning scheme of the secretary and the collector. The visit of the collector and the announcement were mere coincidences.

"We discussed," the colector said, "the selection of a successor to General Clarkson, but no decision was reached by Secretary MacVeagh. The appointment of neither Richard Parr nor George W. Aldridge of Rochester was considered. I can not say who will be General Clarkson's successor. That is a matter entirely in the hands of President Taft and Secretary MacVeagh. The collector, the appraiser, the surveyor and the naval officer are all named directly by the president. No one of them can recommend the appointment of any other."

AERIAL JOY RIDES MAY BE NEXT FAD

Wrights Deluged with Orders for Flyers.

Dayton, O., Nov. 25.—"We are going to have a monster airship factory in Dayton, where we will be enabled to employ at least 80 men and where we can turn out at least four aeroplanes each month," was the statement made here by Orville and Wilbur Wright. "We have not yet located our place, but are thinking of having it at the corner of Third street and Broadway, which we bought some time ago. However, if we can not buy the property adjoining, that site will not be large enough and we will have to go to Edgemont."

Edgemont is a rapidly growing suburb of Dayton. It is believed here that the Wrights will have their big factory there and will place their office buildings at Third street and Broadway. At Edgemont they will have the space to make trial flights.

Orville Wright said that they have now enough orders from people in America alone to keep them busy at their factory for one year, and that they personally will make their ships for this country. The ships for Europe will be manufactured there, although one of the brothers will go across every few months to test the machines thoroughly before they are delivered.

Protest of Labor.

Chicago, Nov. 25.—For one day after Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison go to jail, 1,500,000 men and women workers will quit work and voice protest, if Mrs. Raymond Robbins, president of the National Women's Trade Union league, has her way.

ILL-FATED MINE SEEMS DOOMED

Shaft Sealed by Order of State Authorities.

THE FLAMES RAGE THROUGH TUNNELS

Poisonous Gases Put the Rescuers to Flight.

Eighty Bodies Are Counted in Grewsome Pile Found Near End of Third Vein—Probability Expressed That Corpses Remaining in the Mine Will Be Incinerated and Never Brought Up.

Cherry, Ill., Nov. 25.—Shortly after midnight the St. Paul mine was sealed for an indefinite period by order of the state authorities, it having become apparent that the fire, which continues to rage with unabated vigor, can be extinguished by no other means. As a result all efforts to rescue the bodies of the entombed men have been abandoned. If the sealing of the mines does not control the flames in a short time it is believed the entire mine and the bodies remaining there will be lost, together with more than 180 bodies that are strewn about the tunnels.

The big death mine in all probability will remain sealed for several weeks, or until the fire has been stilled. If the fire continues, it is declared that all the bodies in the tunnels will be incinerated.

An exploration party descended to the third vein by a rope ladder and found a ghastly heap of bodies near the east end, estimated at 90 or 100. The explorers counted up to 80 bodies and were compelled to flee on account of the poisonous air. The dead miners in the third vein were near the air shaft, where they had constructed wooden fans and otherwise taken precautions against approaching death. On a little piece of slate found by the side of one of the bodies had been written: "We are all here together, 169-46-37." There were only 85 men in the third vein when the fire started in the mine. It is not thought possible that more than this number are dead in the lower level. The other bodies are believed to be in the east end of the second level. The tunnel at this part of the mine extends eastward for more than a mile, and it is said that the bodies are behind a number of falls or cave-ins.

Coal Deposits Threatened.

The danger of the fire working through the coal deposits in the second vein and up the face of the main shaft is increasing hourly. Captain Corridon has discovered that the fire has eaten its way through the coal at a depth of several feet from the face of the main shaft and tunnels. This combustion, the extent or intensity of which can not be estimated, may also ignite a large pocket of imprisoned gases on the second level.

GREAT STORM IN NORTHWEST

Passengers Marooned by Reason of Excessive Rains.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 25.—The unprecedented storm that has prevailed in the Pacific northwest for two days shows no signs of abating. Meantime the passengers of three Great Northern trains are marooned between the Cascade tunnel and Tonga.

A relief train bearing passengers of Great Northern train No. 3, due in Seattle Monday, arrived last night. The passengers told of the terrible havoc of the floods in the Cascade mountains. Walking nearly a mile, climbing over rocks and temporary foot bridges, they reached the relief train.

Cleveland Girls See Taft.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Twenty-five young women from Cleveland and its vicinity whose popularity and beauty were determined by balloting conducted by a newspaper, called to see President Taft, and each one was permitted to shake the executive hand and see the executive smile. The girls are on a trip which embraces New York, Philadelphia, Washington, Old Point Comfort, Richmond and Bermuda. They declared that Mr. Taft was splendid.

Falls 500 Feet.

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 25.—Adam Weingart, thirty-five, of Dunmore, met a horrible death, last evening, when he slipped at the mouth of the old Leggett creek shaft and tumbled head first a distance of 500 feet to the Clark vein.

LORD ROSEBERRY'S STRONG ADDRESS

Liberal Prime Minister Talks of the Budget.

London, Nov. 25.—Former Liberal Prime Minister Lord Rosebery took the floor when the discussion of the budget was resumed in the house of lords, Wednesday evening. He made a remarkably strong speech.

Lord Rosebery said that while constitutional practice does not necessarily make it illegal for the lords to reject a financial measure, bitter experience has taught that the power of taxation must always and forever go with representation. Disregarding this maxim he said cost England the United States of America, when they were colonies. He denounced the budget in the strongest terms but warned the judges not to reject it until they are sure of the country's wishes in the matter. Lord Rosebery said that he would vote neither way on the budget because he was not quite sure of his position. This is a characteristic of Rosebery, known as the "wobbler" of British politics and the leader without a party. He declared that he considered it most unfair that the lords, who the Liberals claim to be the greatest land owners in the country, should not be permitted a voice in the matter of land taxes.

INTERESTS TO CLASH IN CONGRESS AGAIN

Fight of Oleomargarine and Butter People.

Washington, Nov. 25.—The old fight between the oleomargarine and the butter interests is to be waged again this year in congress.

Within the last few days President Taft has received a large number of communications from various men on both sides of the controversy, most of them requesting him to take up the matter in his annual message. It is alleged the Armours in Chicago have cornered the butter market with the intention of running up the price to fifty cents a pound or over this winter to serve as an object lesson against the wisdom of congress in passing the oleomargerine law.

The butter people, on the other hand, say that this move on the part of the Armour people will only serve to further prejudice the country against the beef fat product. Under the drastic regulations passed by congress, uncolored oleomargarine is taxed only a quarter of a cent a pound, while oleomargarine colored in imitation of butter is taxed ten cents a pound.

ARCHIE DUNN HAS SKULL FRACTURED

Business Agent of Marine Firemen May Die.

Cleveland, Nov. 25.—Archie Dunn, business agent of the marine firemen's union, was found with his skull fractured in the rear of a saloon in the harbor district Wednesday afternoon. He was hastened to a hospital where doctors, after examination, said he would die. He was badly burned from carbolic acid thrown into his face and one eye was almost gouged out. A police investigation is being made as it is alleged Dunn was beaten by a gang of men, whom the police now seek.

Dunn, according to the police, lay in the alley two hours before he was found. He is forty years old and his home is in Detroit, but he makes Cleveland his headquarters.

SUFFRAGETTES ARE GIVEN SENTENCES

Result of Pouring Acid into a Ballot Box.

London, Nov. 25.—Mrs. Alice Chapin, the militant suffragette, who attempted to destroy the ballots in the Hermondsey election several weeks ago by breaking a bottle of acid into the ballot box, has been sentenced to seven months in the workhouse at hard labor. The sentence was apportioned three months for interfering with an election, and four for assault because of the injuries caused one of the election officials by the spattering acid.

Mrs. Alice Neilans, who attempted a similar exploit, was sentenced to a three months' term.

Two Flame Victims.

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 25.—In a fire which threatened to wipe out a block of homes on Twenty-First street last night, two lives were lost, two children were seriously hurt and scores of others had narrow escapes from two buildings that were destroyed and others that were endangered. The dead are Mrs. Adam Shenaskey and her three-weeks-old babe.

Falls Without Injury.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 25.—Rosie Baker, eight, inmate of the Episcopal Orphans' home, with a companion, was playing "fireman" at a third-story window of the institution, when she slipped and fell. Dr. U. G. Bryant, who was passing saw the child's plight, caught the falling form in his arms and set her down on the sidewalk uninjured.

MANN IS AFTER WHITE SLAVERS

Wants Federal Government To Suppress the Evil,

WHICH IS GROWING TO GREAT PROPORTIONS

Congressman Is Preparing a Drastic Measure.

Calls at White House and Tells President Result of His Investigations. Would Impose Heavy Penalties on Persons Who Transport Women for Immoral Purposes—Would Also Protect Aliens.

Washington, Nov. 25. — Chairman Mann of the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce, and Attorney Edwin W. Sims of Chicago, the man who prosecuted the $29,000,000 fine case against the Standard Oil company, called to see President Taft. Mr. Mann intends to introduce a bill at the coming session which is designed to destroy the white slave traffic through the intervention of the government, with its power to control interstate and foreign commerce.

Mr. Mann told the president that in his opinion, after investigating through Mr. Sims and other sources, the government in the control of the

Chicago Congressman Who Plans to Eradicate White Slave Evil.

interstate and foreign commerce is the only authority strong enough to cope with this evil, and that with this end in view his bill has been prepared.

"The bill as drafted," said Mr. Mann, in a statement he had prepared and which he showed to Mr. Taft, "makes it a crime, punishable by a fine of not more than $5,000 or imprisonment of not more than five years, or by both punishments, in the discretion of the court, to transport or aid in the transportation in interstate or foreign commerce any woman or girl for immoral purposes."

Buying Ticket Punishable.

It also makes it a similar offense to procure or aid in procuring a ticket to be used by a woman or girl in interstate or foreign commerce in going from one place to another in furtherance of a purpose that she shall practice prostitution."

Another clause of the bill makes it a similar offense to entice a woman or girl from one place to another for the purpose of prostitution, thereby causing her to go by common carrier in interstate or foreign commerce.

In the case of girls under 18 years old, the penalty shall not be more than $10,000 and imprisonment for not more than 10 years.

Still another section is aimed to offset the effect of the recent decision of the supreme court of the United States in the case of Keller against the United States, which held to be unconstitutional the provision of the immigration act prohibiting, under severe penalties, the harboring of immoral alien women within three years after their arrival in this country.

TURKEYS SIMPLY SWAMP MARKET

An Oversupply Brings Big Drop in Windy City Market.

Chicago, Nov. 25. — A spectacular slump in the price of turkeys occurred here, and all Chicago was tickled. That is, all that part of it which had not provided themselves previously with ducks, chickens or other fowls before the drop became known. Turkeys seemed to have come over night from everywhere. There were so many in South Water street that commission men threw up their hands, and while the hands went up the price went down.

A select fowl, fully dressed, could be obtained for 20 cents, while live birds brought 15 cents. There was a corresponding reduction in retail markets. The slump was caused, it was said, by reports that fabulous prices were to be had for turkeys in this city.

Injured at a Fire.

Joplin, Mo., Nov. 25.—Two men are at a hospital today so badly injured that they may die, and two others are seriously hurt as a result of a gas explosion at a fire. H. Franks, a fireman, was burned about the face and was crushed by a fall from the walls; Frank Galloway, a spectator, was burned about the face and body. Their chances of recovery are slight.

THOUSAND PEOPLE IN STREET CAR RIOT

Motorman Is Dragged from Car by Rioters.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 25.—A street car riot, in which a motorman was dragged from the vestibule of his car, and the front of the car smashed in while more than a thousand people either participated in or watched the struggle, occurred at Warren and Woodward avenues, Wednesday. A Woodward car, loaded to capacity, found a swarm of waiting factory workers at the crosstown junction.

The crowd clambored on the fender, and insisted on riding there, in spite of the protests of the motorman. The motorman refused to move the car until they got off the fender, and within a few moments, the entire corner was thronged with people.

Some of the crowd smashed the front of the car, while others dragged the motorman out and started to run the car down town themselves, when a riot call brought the police. Many received slight injuries.

FOUR BALL CLUBS ARE FOR WARD

Brooklyn Man May Succeed Heydler as League President.

New York, Nov. 25.—Four clubs in the National league—New York, Chicago, St. Louis and Brooklyn—are ready to cast their votes for John Montgomery Ward at the coming meeting of the National league, when the election of a new president is ordered. Wire-pulling for at least one other club is under way, and the Ward supporters say they will have a majority when the time comes. Up to a week ago it looked as if John A. Heydler would be re-elected to the office he holds because his chief opponent, C. W. Murphy of the Chicago club, could not secure enough votes to defeat him, but it seems that C. H. Betz of the Brooklyn club, a warm personal friend of Ward, has been working quietly in the later's behalf in order to effect a compromise between the rival factions in the league.

THE BREWERS PLAN CAMPAIGN

Will Attempt To Make Indiana Thirst Parlors Respectable.

Indianapolis, Nov. 25.—The Indiana Brewers' association has organized the Indiana Brewers' Alliance bureau, with L. E. Howe of Columbus, O., at the head. Arrangements have been made for the bureau to begin operations Dec. 1, according to J. R. Johnson, secretary of the association of Indiana brewers.

The bureau will have a field staff of men that will go into the counties in which saloons still exist and see that the saloons obey the laws. These men will nose around and gather evidence against saloon keepers who violate the laws, and this evidence will be placed in the hands of the local authorities and the bureau will assist in prosecuting the offenders.

GOVERNOR FEARS STRIKE RIOTS

Indiana Citizens Refuse To Help Sheriff, Who Wants Troops.

Indianapolis, Nov. 25. — Governor Marshall received a request from Sheriff Box and court officials for a company of militia to preserve order at Bedford, where there is a strike among the oolitic stone workers. Sheriff Box represented that he could find only seven men in Bedford on whom he could depend as deputies, owing to the great number of strike sympathizers. He was told by the governor to send to the country for men and press them into service.

The governor called Adjutant General Perry of the Indiana National Guard and told him of the situation, instructing him to have a company in readiness.

TWO LAKE STEAMERS ARE BADLY DAMAGED

The Boats Have Collision in Lake St. Clair.

Port Huron, Mich., Nov. 25.—The steamers, Frank C. Ball and Hoover and Mason, the former bound down with ore and the latter up with coal, collided in Lake St. Clair, yesterday, and both were seriously damaged. Both boats belong to G. A. Tomlinson, of Duluth.

The accident is said to have been due to the steering gear of the Ball getting out of order. The Hoover and Mason went to Detroit for repairs.

The Ball is anchored at Lake St. Clair.

An unidentified steamer is ashore off Kettle Point, twenty miles northeast of Sarnia, on the Canadian shore, it is reported by the steamer, Daniel Meacham. One of the Reid wrecking company's tugs has gone to her aid.

Riff Tribesmen Surrender.

Melilla, Morocco, Nov. 25.—The Riffan tribesmen at Nador appeared before General Marina, governor of Melilla, and formally surrendered.

BOOY ROTS IN CIGAR FACTORY

Occupants of Building Use Disinfectants To Kill Odor,

SUPPOSED TO COME FROM DEAD RATS

Remains Found Two Weeks After Man's Death.

Statistics from Girls' Industrial Home—Woman Is Sentenced To Take a Bath—Governor Harmon Pardons a Murderer—Police Get Jobs Back—Tom Hoyle Acquitted of Murder Charge at Youngstown.

Chardon, O., Nov. 25.—For two weeks the body of Louis T. Bower, 45, former Cleveland man, lay in his cigar factory while occupants of the building every day for the past week have burned sulphur and scattered carbolic acid in the halls, believing the odor which troubled them emanated from dead rats. Bower frequently went to Cleveland and his friends did not wonder at his absence. He was a sufferer from heart trouble. When last seen two weeks ago he told friends of plans for his marriage to a Cleveland girl.

Statistics of Girls' Home.

Columbus, O., Nov. 25.—Franklin county has more inmates in the Girl's Industrial home, at Delaware, than any other county in the state. This is shown in the annual report of Superintendent S. D. Webb, filed with Secretary Shirer of the board of state charities. There are from this county now in the home 62 girls, while 24 are out on parole, making a total of 86. Cuyahoga county is second with 55 in the home and 29 on parole, a total of 84. Hamilton county, which is third, has 23 in the home and 13 on parole, a total of 36.

Bath Is Woman's Sentence.

Youngstown, O., Nov. 25.—"Go home and take a bath. Don't be afraid of soap and water and plenty of it. If you clean yourself up and quit drinking, I will suspend sentence in your case during good behavior," said 'Squire Evans at the conclusion of the case against Mary Yokovitch, charged with neglecting her husband and children. The woman promised to follow instructions.

Governor Pardons Murderer.

Columbus, O., Nov. 25. — Governor Harmon today handed the Thanksgiving day pardon to Charles Geske, sent to the penitentiary in 1895 on a life sentence for killing his stepfather while the latter was abusing his mother. Geske is suffering from tuberculosis and will be cared for by a West Jefferson couple whose sympathies were aroused on a recent visit to the prison.

Policemen Get Jobs Back.

Hamilton, O., Nov. 25.—Director of Public Safety David DeArmond, who summarily dismissed seven patrolmen, reinstated the men, admitting that he had exceeded his authority. Frank Maguire, a bondsman of Patrolman Monohan, announced that he would bring impeachment proceedings against Director DeArmond for alleged failure to enforce the saloon and gambling laws.

Acquitted of Murder Charge.

Youngstown, O., Nov. 25.—Thomas "Fitz" Hough, who stabbed Martin Horne in a street fight, Horne dying later in the hospital, was discharged by Police Judge Calvin, following the coroner's verdict that Hough was being attacked by Horne and William Martin with a knife before he stabbed his assailant.

Three Bankers Freed.

Toledo, O., Nov. 25.—Burton E. Southard, J. Albert McAfee and Ernest Roberts, former cashiers of the failed Dorr Street bank, were dismissed by the grand jury on charges of forgery.

Dives to His Death.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 25.—Diving 40 feet to the pavement from the third story of the Hotel Wilson, opposite the Union station, Harry H. Edgecomb of Stonington, Conn., was instantly killed. He was well dressed and had registered Monday under another name.

Ends Life in Cemetery.

White Plains, N. Y., Nov. 25.—William H. Campbell, 30, the son of prominent residents of New York, committed suicide on the threshold of the receiving vault in the White Plains rural cemetery and near the tombstone over the graves of his parents. An empty bottle which contained poison was found near Campbell's body.

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THREATEN AN OUSTER SUIT

Charges Against the D., T. & I. Prove Well Founded,

BY INVESTIGATION OF COMMISSION

New Regime Must Be at Once Instituted.

The Complaint of Shippers That Not Enough Equipment Has Been Furnished and That What Equipment the Road Possesses Has Been Given to Other Roads Is Found To Have Been Well Made.

Columbus, O., Nov. 24.—Charges against the service furnished by the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton railway and an investigation conducted by the state railroad commission have resulted in C. A. Radcliffe, secretary of the commission, sending a letter to Attorney General Denman saying the commission is satisfied that steps should be taken to "compel the road to furnish the service that the law requires" or compel those now in charge of the company to "give way in order that an avenue may be opened up for the institution of a new regime."

Shippers have complained that not enough equipment has been furnished and that part of what little equipment the road possesses has been given to other roads. The commission's inquiry developed that although the company has been unable to pay for equipment bought and it has been returned because payments were not made therefor, it has been paying out annually $300,000 interest on bonds. It is believed here that the letter is the preliminary step in ouster proceedings against the road.

SHOT DOWN AND FATALLY WOUNDED

Is Barber Who Makes Advances to Paper-Hanger's Wife.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 24.—Pursued through the streets by the man who claimed he had insulted his wife and finally cornered in the porch of a building where he had sought refuge William E. Proctor, prominent politician, was shot twice and probably fatally wounded this morning by R. M. Cully, wall-paper dealer.

The men had been friends. Cully claims that Proctor went to his home recently to announce the death of his brother. Mrs. Cully sympathized with him and Proctor, it is alleged, finally made improper advances.

Cully says he learned this last night, sat up all night, and this morning, as soon as stores opened, purchased two revolvers with which he waited for Proctor to appear at a barber shop he owned at Second and Main streets.

When Proctor appeared, Cully suddenly stepped out with a revolver in each hand. Proctor fled, Cully pursuing and firing. Cully finally ran Proctor down and shot him in the jaw and the abdomen. He died at noon.

Proctor was Republican candidate for city auditor at the November election and was former member of the school board.

BALLINGER SENDS DATA TO TAFT

His Side of the Controversy with Forester Pinchot.

Washington, Nov. 24.—Four large bundles of documents comprise the answer of Secretary of the Interior Ballinger to questions put to him by President Taft regarding certain phases of the so-called Ballinger-Pinchot controversy.

After working until nearly daylight this morning, the clerks in Ballinger's office put the finishing touches on this report, and it is understood that the whole matter is now in the hands of the president for settlement. The report is divided into two pars, the first dealing with the charge that Ballinger technically violated the law in his handling of the Alaskan coal claims

The second part is designed to meet the charge that Ballinger has overthrown the Roosevelt conservation policies.

WARNER NOTIFIED OF ACCEPTANCE

He Resigns His Job in the Pension Department.

Washington, Nov. 24.—Vespasian Warner, United States commissioner of pensions, has been informed that his resignation which was sent to the president a week ago, has been accepted.

The commissioner of patents went to Clinton, Illinois, two months ago to look after the affairs of his son, who was ill. A week ago he informed the president that it would be necessary for him to give up his position to attend the young man's affairs. He was appointed by Roosevelt, and reappointed by Taft.

COLLINWOOD BANK BECOMES INVOLVED

Does Not Open Its Doors for Business This Morning.

Collinwood, O., Nov. 24.—The Union Savings & Banking company did not open for business today, and a number of depositors, who, learning that the affairs of the concern had become involved, were unable to gain admission to withdraw their accounts.

The closing of the bank is the result of two suits instituted in the court of common pleas late yesterday by Charles W. Smith, a stockholder. One asked for the appointment of a receiver and the other that the statutory liability of the bank's stockholders be subjected to the payments of its obligations. Attorney W. M. Raynolds was appointed receiver.

The institution was organized April 1, 1907, by E. W. Christy and it is claimed by Smith that of the $52,000 outstanding loans of the bank, $14,000 had been made by Christy and his associates. The capital stock is $50,000, but Smith asserts that while the par value of each share was $100, each stockholder was asked to pay but $50. Smith also claims that he and the president, C. W. Loomis, own 250 of the 500 shares of stock and that he was induced to buy his interest by President Loomis, who claimed that the institution was in a flourishing condition and making money, which, he alleges, was untrue.

INCIDENTALLY THE FRESHMEN WON

Football Game for Blood Is Played at Delaware.

Delaware, O., Nov. 24.—A. R. Campbell, sophomore, of Arcanum, Ohio, is breathing through a broken nose at a Columbus hospital; J. R. Jewett, freshman, of Cleveland, was unconscious for three hours at Delaware following a healthy kick in the abdomen; E. A. Everett, sophomore, of Roselle Park, Ohio, is experiencing the inconvenience of a fractured collar bone, and R. S. Lowe, freshman, of Baltimore, Maryland, is less seriously disabled as a result of the freshman-sophomore football game at Ohio Wesleyan university Tuesday evening.

The game was the third, to decide a tie, and was advertised as being "for blood."

For a time it was feared that Jewett was very seriously injured. Campbell was taken to Columbus Wednesday, where his nose was repaired.

Incidentally, the "freshies" won, *five to nothing.*

CHARACTERISTIC IS PEARSON'S LETTER

Bidding Farewell to $50,000 Contribution to School.

Montpelier, Ver., Nov. 24.—Enclosing a draft for $50,000 from Dr. D. K. Pearson, of Chicago, as his contribution to its endowment fund a letter has come to Dr. E. A. Bishop, principal of Montpelier seminary, from the eccentric Chicago philanthropist in which he declares he has contributed in all $90,000 to the educational institutions of Vermont. He bids characteristic farewell to the $50,000 subscribed in the following style:

"Fifty thousand dollars, farewell. You have been in my keeping for many years, and you have been a faithful servant. Your earnings have helped to educate many young men and women who have helped to make the world better. Go into the keeping of younger men, and God's blessing go with you. Do your duty and give the poor boys and girls of Vermont a fair chance."

BENJAMIN CABLE HAS BEEN APPOINTED

As Assistant Secretary of Department of Commerce and Labor.

Washington, Nov. 24.—The appointment of Benjamin S. Cable, an attorney of Chicago, was announced today by Secretary Nagel, as assistant secretary of the department of commerce and labor to succeed Ormsby McHarg, resigned.

Cable is a bachelor, thirty-seven years of age, a "bones" man of Yale, from whence he graduated in 1896. He was for a number of years on the legal staff of the Rock Island railroad system, but some time ago retired to the private practice of law in Chicago.

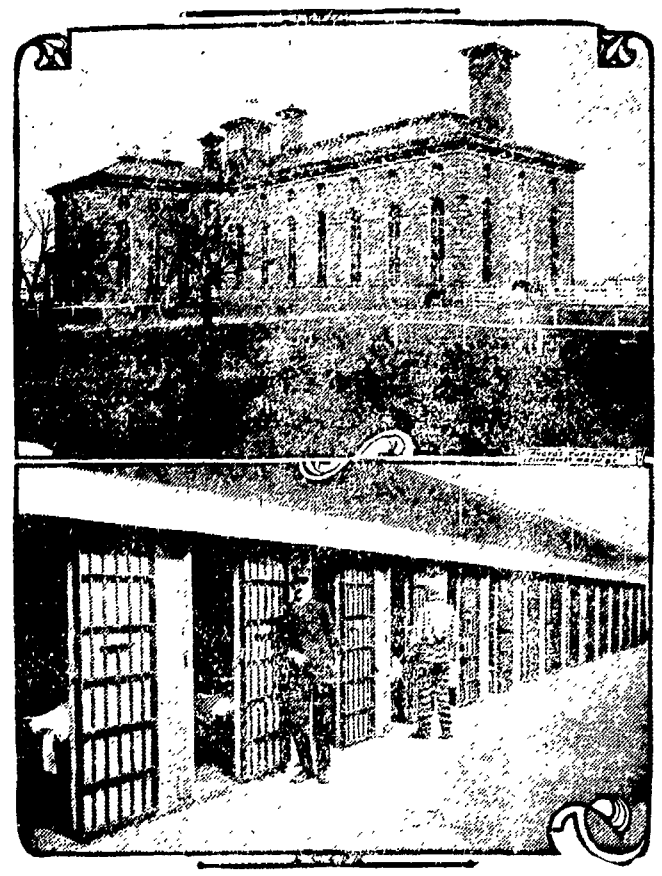
Cable had the endorsement of the Illinois congressional delegation and the backing of the Chicago Republican organization. He is a Republican.

THEIR BODIES ARE BURNED TO CRISPS

Five Inmates of New York Tenement House Unable To Escape.

New York, Nov. 24.—Five persons were burned to death in a fire in a frame tenement at 1190 Herkimer street, East New York. There were 60 persons in the house, which was a four-story frame structure. When the bodies were taken out they were so badly burned that it was impossible to tell whether they were men or women. It is suspected that the fire was of incendiary origin.

DISTRICT JAIL AT WASHINGTON WHERE SHERIFF SHIPP IS HELD



Here are two pictures of the District jail at Washington, where Sheriff Shipp, of Tennessee, is confined by order of the United States supreme court for having permitted a lynching in his county after the prisoner's case had been appealed to the highest tribunal. This jail will come in for further prominence in case Messrs. Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison are actually confined in the contempt charges now pending against them. The time for the labor leaders to surrender themselves to the United States marshal has been extended to November 29. It is expected that they will then sue out a writ of habeas corpus before some judge of the District supreme court, and should the judge refuse to discharge them the next step would be an appeal to the United States supreme court. No doubt exists of this right of appeal in a habeas corpus case, the same being provided for in the first amendment to the constitution.

SCARE THROWN INTO TAMMANY

By the Selection of Frank Moss as Assistant

TO NEW YORK'S NEW DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Moss Is a Recognized Reformer and Vice Fighter.

It Was Moss Who Was Associate Counsel for the Lexow Investigating Committee and Chief Counsel for the Mazet Committee—It Was Moss Who Put Boss Croker and Other Notables on Rack.

New York, Nov. 24.—Tammany is undergoing a worse scare today than followed its defeat in the recent city election, when all of its ticket with the exception of mayoralty candidate Judge Gaynor was defeated, in the announcement that District Attorney-elect Whitman has chosen Frank Moss for his first assistant.

Moss is a recognized reformer, graft foe, investigator and vice crusader and his appointment, which will take effect January 1, means an end to the Tammany hope—and the hope of the liberals generally—for an "open" town under Gaynor.

Moss, though a Republican, has never been a favorite of the Republican machine, and it is said that County Boss Herbert Parsons is not pleased with his selection. Moss was associate counsel for the Lexow investigating committee and chief counsel of the Mazet investigating committee which, in 1899, put Richard Croker and other Tammany notables on the rack. It was Moss who drew from Croker the admission that "I am working for my own pocket all the time, just like you, Mr. Moss."

Moss was president of the police board in 1897, succeeding Theodore Roosevelt. He has been counsel for the society for the prevention of crime, president of the city vigilance league and a director of the New York church extension society. His whole official career was against crime and grafting and it is conceded that he will guard the city's interests and wage a relentless war against Tammany methods.

A Pillar of Fire.

Cincinnati, Nov. 24. Charles Gremminger, porter in a saloon, Winton Place, is dying at the Cincinnati hospital. He was preparing roast chickens for Thanksgiving in a stone oven outside the saloon this morning. Nearby was a five-gallon can of gasoline. The gasoline exploded, covering Gremminger with burning oil. He ran into a stable in the rear of the premises. He looked like a moving pillar of fire. The stable caught fire.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT WINNING CANDIDATE

What Would Happen If He Ran for Governor.

New York, Nov. 24.—Theodore Roosevelt for governor of New York will be a winning candidate if he will consent to run, according to Timothy L. Woodruff, chairman of the Republican state committee, in a statement made yesterday. Asked concerning the report that he, Collector Loeb and Herbert Parsons were planning to have Roosevelt nominated for the gubernatorial position on his return from Africa, Woodruff said:

"I have noticed that former Governor Odell has been quoted as saying that Parsons, Loeb and myself are in a conspiracy to reelect Roosevelt governor of this state. While I have not received any intimation as to whether Roosevelt would run for governor or not, I think he could be nominated and elected if he would consent.

"His nomination would be a matter of great advantage to the party in this state."

TO STOP RUNAWAY CHILD MARRIAGES

Legislation in Matter To Be Taken Up Soon.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 24.—Word was received here yesterday from Toronto that legislation designed to put a stop to runaway child marriages in Windsor from Ohio and Michigan will be presented by the government at the forthcoming executive session.

"The department is in receipt of a large number of letters from persons of standing," said Hon. W. J. Hanna. "These communications urge that residence of one or the other of the contracting parties in Canada for a stated period should be established to the satisfaction of the party issuing the marriage license at the time of its issue."

HIS PARISHIONERS LACK CONFIDENCE

Rev. George R. Lunn Loses His Job in Schenectady.

Schenectady, N. Y., Nov. 24.—Because of his Socialistic utterances the Rev. George R. Lunn is no longer pastor of the First Dutch Reformed church. Dr. Lunn, who was chaplain of William J. Bryan's regiment during the Spanish war, has been much criticised because of his advocacy of Socialic propaganda, which has caused dissention among the members of the church. The minister submitted his resignation in order to obtain a vote of confidence but to his surprise the resignation has been accepted.

Never worry about troubles today that you can put off till tomorrow.

THE stomach governs your health. Watch it closely and at the first sign of any weakness, such as Poor Appetite, Indigestion, Costiveness, Colds and Grippe, take

HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS

MORE BODIES ARE FOUND

In the Ill-Fated St. Paul Mine at Cherry.

GREAT NUMBERS ARE FOUND IN DEBRIS

At the Approach of the Escapement Shaft.

Serious Question Arises for the Heads of the Rescuing Parties. Shall They Remove the Dead or Keep Up Search for the Living? The Flames Are the Greatest Danger Threatening Rescuers.

Cherry, Ills., Nov. 24.—Rescuers who worked most of the night in the St. Paul mine located many bodies in the east side of the lower vein today. Accounts vary as to the number of dead found. Men coming from below say that 169 were there, although the coal company's records show there were only eighty men left in the lower level when the fire cut off escape.

Much mystery has covered the work of entering the lower vein since last night. The most definite stories that have reached the top say the entire party of men still in the mine were found buried beneath debris near the bottom of the stairway in the air-shaft.

The three men who descended into the third level yesterday and found indications that living men had approached the escapement shaft after the fire, did not see the bodies because of the vast amount of rubbish that covered them. That debris was cleared away early today after many hours of work.

The Troublesome Question.

One of the dead men clutched a wooden fan similar to those made by the thirty-seven men brought up dead on Monday.

The rescuing heads are in a quandary today as to how they shall proceed. Whether they shall take out the bodies from the lower vein or open up the west side of the upper tunnel, where living men may be. If they do the latter it will be at the risk of reviving the fire in that section which has been kept under control for several hours and which rescuers have fought all night.

Men in charge of the rescue work scoffed today at reports that the mine would be sealed up before night because of danger from an explosion of "white damp." The greatest thing that may interfere with rescue work is the fire which is getting beyond control.

No Count Made.

It is impossible to confirm the reports that the bodies recovered today numbered 169. No effort was made to count the bodies and the estimate was based on a message found scratched in Italian on a piece of slate near the bodies. Translated it read:

"We die together 169."

The figures and writing are barely legible, and the figures might be 16 or 69 as well as 169, according to some of the rescuers. It is also believed the 169 might be the check number of the writer.

Attempts to remove these bodies were blocked by water in the lower vein which has so far made it impossible to get the bodies to the hoisting shaft, the only means of exit. The bodies are in such bad condition, it is said, that they cannot be brought up the air shaft.

Floats are being built and the rescuers will attempt to float the corpses to the bottom of the hoisting shaft and bring them up in an improvised cage.

Killed by Black Damp.

That the men did not starve to death, but were killed by black damp was clearly indicated before any of the bodies were examined. A number of dinner pails containing food and water were found near the corpses. It is impossible to tell just how long the men lived but it is believed they had been dead at least a week when found. They had evidently perished before the water with which the mine was flooded poured down upon them from the main shaft.

The rescuers believe this party of men gathered in the lowest level after the fire started and made an effort to reach the hoisting shaft but were driven back by the fire which must have raged fiercely about the bottom of that shaft. Then came the water and the men fell back to the elevated part of the mine where the water could not reach them, and where they would be free from black damp for a time at least, gradually the deadly gas closed in, however, and finally killed them.

Not Without Struggle.

That they did not die without a struggle was shown by the discovery of two crude fans fashioned out of pick handles and timbers torn from the sides of the tunnel. These had been fastened to the walls and the miners had evidently turned them by hand in an effort to drive back the black damp. One man was found dead with one hand still clasping one of the "wings" of the fan. He had succumbed while trying to fan a little more oxygen into his lungs.

The dead bodies were huddled in a heap on the small ridge. There was not room for all and those who died early were put at the bottom and the others climbed on top of them.

The victims had made no attempt to erect a barricade against deadly gases and survivors here declared today that the deaths of these men are attributed directly to the fact that the authorities reversed the surface fans shortly after the fire broke out and drove the deadly gas down into the lowest level so suddenly that the men there were suffocated before they had much chance to protect themselves.

Serious Situation.

What is regarded as the most serious situation since the fire started developed just before noon today when it was announced that the fire on the second level had eaten its way from the mule stables through tons of coal and had attacked the cribbing that protects the side of the main hoisting shaft. A score of rescuers in the lowest level are in danger.

Chicago firemen at 12:30 went below to fight the flames. They are cutting a hole through the cribbing so that one man, who must take the chief risk, can crawl through, face the flames, and play a stream of water on them. William Hopkins of Chicago, volunteered to take this risk.

It is feared the firemen will be unable to cope with the fire successfully.

Not only is the main shaft threatened but the airshaft as well. Unless the firemen can control these flames quickly fears are felt for the safety of the score of rescuers who went below shortly before noon to recover the bodies of the miners discovered early today.

Pathetic Story of Diary.

Cherry, Ills., Nov. 24.—Though Sam D. Howard, one of the miners who perished in the St. Paul mine fire here, is dead and buried, out of his grave has come a message from him to the girl he was to have married.

A diary written by Howard in his last moments, today was turned over to Miss Mamie Robinson, who was to have become his wife on Christmas day. The body of Howard was buried yesterday. The diary in part follows:

"14—1909—Alive at 10:30 o'clock yet.

"10:45—11 sharp—Big Sam D. Howard.

"Alfred, my brother, is with me yet. A good many dead mules and men. I tried to save some, but came almost losing myself. If I am dead, give my diamond ring to Mamie Robinson. The ring is at the post-office. I had it sent there.

"The only thing I regret is my brother that could help my mother out after I am dead and gone. I tried my best to get out, but could not. I saw Jim Jamieson and Steve Timko lying dead along the road and could not stand it any longer.

Sight Is Fierce.

"It is five minutes past 11 and the air is fine, but sometimes it is so bad it almost puts a fellow out. It is something fierce to see men and mules lying down all over like that.

"There is rock falling all over.

"Half past 11 o'clock. Seven after 1 o'clock. 3 o'clock and poor air and black damp.

"4:15 o'clock. Change of place: No black damp, but poor air. We lost a couple of our group.

"7:30 o'clock. Tired, hungry and sleepy, but I could stand quite a bit of this if I could get out of this hole. So what is the use of knocking when a man is down.

"12 after 8 o'clock Sunday morning. There is no air. We fanned ourselves with the lids of our buckets.

"25 after 9 and black damp coming both ways. We gave up all hope. We have done all we could. The fan better start above soon.

Struggle Is Failing.

"25 after 10 o'clock Sunday. Still alive. That is, you will find me with the bunch. That is five of us, Alfred Howard, Miller, Leyshon, Sam D. Howard, Steele. The only hope is the fan.

"I think I won't have strength to write pretty soon.

"15 after 12 Sunday p. m.—We are having a swell time making fans. That is the best we can do. Joe Rapsel was the man who invented the fan.

"27 to 3 and the black damp is coming in on us.

"11 to 4 p. m. Dying for want of air.

"25 after 10 p. m. Sunday. We can't move forward or backward. We can stand it with our fans until Monday morning.

"15 after 2 a. m. Monday—Am still alive. Alfred Howard is still alive.

"9:15 a. m. Monday morning. Still breathing. Something better turn up.

"10 to 1 Monday. The lives are going out. I think this is our last. We are getting weak. Alfred Howard as well as all of us."

That was all.

The lines which had been growing more and more indistinct stopped here. The bodies of Sam Howard and his brother, Alfred, were found together.

HATTIE LE BLANC HELD FOR CRIME

But Another Arrest May Soon Be Made

IN CONNECTION WITH THE GLOVER MURDER

Girl Claims That Glover Committed Suicide.

Volunteers the Information That No One but Glover Was Present When He Was Shot—This, Too, Without Any Questioning—Police, However, Take Another View. Mrs. Glover Is Under Guard.

Waltham, Mass., Nov. 24.—Composed, taciturn and still maintaining that she had no hand in the killing of Clarence Glover, seventeen-year-old Hattie Le Blanc pleaded not guilty to a charge of murder when she was arraigned here in juvenile court before Judge Luce today. A hearing in her case was set for December 8, and the girl was sent to the East Cambridge jail to await the unraveling of the mysterious case.

No further stories of the crime were given out after the hearing, and the girl, apparently, is to stand firmly by her declaration of innocence though Glover dying from his wounds accused her, point blank, of his death.

The Le Blanc girl, who has been missing since she is alleged to have shot Glover Saturday night, was found under Glover's own bed in his house here just after his body had been carried out for burial. The girl says she hid under the bed immediately after the shooting. The police, who searched the house early Sunday morning, declare she was not under the bed at that time and broadly intimate that some one has concealed the girl during the hue and cry. This some one, they declare, had good reason to do so.

Further Arrests Possible.

Today while the Le Blanc girl is in the hands of the police Mrs. Glover is in her home here and a policeman is outside with instructions to permit no one to enter and to refuse to allow Mrs. Glover to leave. Whether or not any further arrests will be made today is as yet unknown.

According to the girl she met Glover by appointment in the laundry. She declares the man overpowered her, and that as she leaped through a window she heard two shots. "I didn't see any one else there," she said to the police. "I am sure there was no one else there."

These statements coming despite the fact that the presence of a second person had up to that time been unsuggested to the girl, deepened the police suspicion that some other was concerned in the killing. Who that other was and for what reason Glover fell with two bullets from his own pistol through his body is what is still to be revealed. The police here do not believe that Glover killed himself; they do not believe that he was killed by Hattie Le Blanc. Why Glover should have accused the girl, why she declares he was a suicide, and "there was no one else present," and just where Mrs. Glover, the wronged wife, fits into the tragedy, are still to be revealed.

ONE-CENT JUDGMENT GIVEN THE PLAINTIFF

Supreme Court Decision in Slander Suit.

Columbus, Nov. 24.—[Special.]—Damages in the amount of one cent for slander was allowed by the supreme court, Tuesday. Thomas Delay of Ross county claimed that John A. Coyner had injured his reputation by circulating a report that he had a wife and child in Virginia when he was paying court to a girl in Ross county. The object of the report was to burst his chances, but this was not accomplished as she accepted him. He sued for $10,000. Coyner will have to pay the one cent damages and a nice accumulation of costs.

Throw Body Into Well.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 24.—Robbers today shot and killed George Eichorn, a wealthy German, then carrying his body to the rear of his home threw it into a well. Several persons were in the house at the time of the tragedy, but all declare that they heard nothing. Fifty police are at work on the case but as yet have found no clue to the robbers.

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POSSE AVENGES NEGRO'S CRIME

Speedy Justice Inflicted Down in Alabama.

NEGRO RAVISHER BULLET RIDDLED

Body Tied to a Pine Tree and Burned.

After Despoiling Wife of Farmer, Negro Drags Her from Her Home and Repeats Outrage — Falls Asleep with His Head on Her Body—She Revives and Tells of the Whereabouts of the Ravisher.

Anniston, Ala., Nov. 24.—For the commission of one of the most horrible crimes ever reported in the annals of this state, Roy Rolston, a negro, has been lynched, and his body burned.

The details of the negro's horrible crime have just been received here from Edwardsville. He went to the home of W. C. Cheatwood, a well-known farmer, and battered down the front door, shouting as he did so:

"We've got you now, and we are going to kill you."

Fearing that a concerted attack was being made upon his house, Cheatwood sprang through a window and fled to the home of neighbors for assistance. The negro entered the house and overpowered Mrs. Cheatwood, whom he assaulted. The negro then seized the unfortunate woman by her hair and dragged her half conscious 200 yards from the house, where he again assaulted her.

Beats His Victim.

After this the brute assailed the woman with sticks and rocks, beating her head terribly with a heavy stone.

Finger prints on her neck, show how the negro tried to choke her to death.

The special received here declared the negro then fell asleep, pillowing his head upon the prostrate body of his victim.

A heavy rain was falling and the water partially revived Mrs. Cheatwood, who managed to drag herself from beneath the sleeping negro and crawl back to her home. It took her some time to crawl the short distance, so weak was she from her terrifying experience.

When she reached the house her husband and her friends had just arrived. The posse followed the directions given by the fainting woman and came upon the negro, still sleeping.

Riddle Negro With Bullets.

They literally riddled his body with bullets and then tied the remains to a pine tree and burned it.

Three of the four children of the Cheatwoods fled to the woods when the negro first attacked their mother. They were in their night clothing and were suffering greatly from rain and cold when found several hours later.

Mrs. Cheatwood was tenderly cared for and given medical attention, but her condition is precarious, and it is feared she will not survive.

This crime recalls the Sam Hose burning of ten years ago at Palmetto, Georgia. Sam Hose, a negro farm hand, entered the home of a prosperous farmer and murdered the father with an ax in plain sight of the wife and four children. The woman refused to accede to the negro's demands, and he slew one of her children. Again she refused to comply and another child was killed. Rather than see her two babies in arms slain the woman yielded. For this crime the negro was burned at the stake.

Inaugurated Governor.

Manila, Nov. 24.—W. Cameron Forbes, of Massachusetts, was today inaugurated governor general of the Philippine islands in the chamber of the popular assembly. The inauguration was made the occasion of a popular demonstration.

$500,000 Lamp Stolen.

Constantinople, Nov. 24.—The theft of the "Sacred Lamp of Mahomet," set with costly jewels and valued at $500,000, from the convent at Eski Jebir, was reported today. The authorities have no clue to the theif.

To Brother's Bedside.

Paris, Nov. 24.—Hurrying to the bedside of her brother, Prince Leopold of Battenberg, Queen Victoria of Spain passed through Paris today. No stop was made by the royal party as the queen is impatient to reach England.

Tablet Unveiled.

Annapolis, Md., Nov. 24.—A bronze tablet to the memory of Captain Charles V. Gridley, who was Admiral Dewey's flag officer on the cruiser, Olympia, at Manila bay, was unveiled today at the naval academy.

INSURANCE AGENTS MUST BE CERTIFIED

This Refers to the Fellows Who Sell Fraternal Insurance.

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 24.—State Superintendent of Insurance Hotchkiss today issued a statement declaring that persons who deal with insurance or fraternal benefit orders which are not properly certified and examined under the state laws "do so at their peril."

"Within the past month, the superintendent says, "inquiry or complaint has been made to the department that the following unauthorized companies and orders are attempting to do business in this state: State Indemnity society, Boston, Massachusetts; The Sons of Jacob, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; The Famobrosis society, Washington, District of Columbia; The Farmers' & Breeders' Mutual Reserve Fund; Livestock company, Williamsport, Pennsylvania; The Independent Western Star Order, Chicago; The Safety Mutual Fire Insurance company, Lebanon, Pennsylvania; The Keystone uard, Athens, Pennsylvania.

"Information tending to show that persons are soliciting insurance in New York as agents for any of these unauthorized concerns will, by the department, be laid before the proper district attorney, that indictments may be found and convictions had."

Washington, Nov. 25.—Announcement was made that Chief Justice Mills of the superior court of New Mexico has been appointed governor of the territory in place of George Curry, former rough rider, who resigned. The new governor has been chief justice for 12 years and was a resident of the territory long before his appointment to that judicial office. He is a Yale graduate.

THE UNIT SYSTEM IS FAVORED BY AUDITOR

Board of Appraisers May Follow the Plan.

IT IS ADOPTED BY NUMBER OF CITIES

Problem of Fixing the Selling Value of Every Piece of Real Estate in the City Is Not Small—Board of Appraisers Will Organize in Short Time—Taxation Values.

County Auditor Charles L. Allen is in favor of appraising Marion real estate by the unit system. The board of appraisers elected for that purpose, Tuesday, November 3, may follow this plan, which has already been adopted in many cities throughout the country.

The problem of fixing the selling value of every piece of real estate in this city will be no small one and the members of the appraising board, together with Auditor Allen, are devoting much attention to it. The board will hold a meeting at an early date to elect a chairman and secretary. It will use the infirmary directors' room in the court-house as office quarters. This privilege will be granted by the county commissioners.

The unit system was originated in New York and is the plan of an expert named Somers. In New York the standard lot is 25x100 feet and all appraisements are reduced to this basis for comparison, so that the relative tax valuation of lots of varying sizes may be determined.

Marion offers a more difficult problem, because business and residence lots do not approach uniformity in size, but it is believed by establishing a unit it will be easier nevertheless to arrive at the equitable appraisement of all property. Whether more than one standard will be used in the work will be determined after the board has examined conditions in residence portions of different sections of the city.

The board of appraisers will make every effort to keep the cost of the appraisement inside the allowed one-twentieth of one per cent. of the tax duplicate for the year in which the appraisement is taken. The appraisers will be guided in this respect by the duplicate now prepared for 1910 and not from the one resulting from the quadrennial appraisement, which will be used in 1911.

The appraisers do not thoroughly comprehend the meaning of making the appraisement at the "true value in money," as directed by the constitution, and they will write to the state auditor for further instructions along this line, as well as for his views with regard to the most practicable way of taking the appraisement in a city the size of Marion.

The 1910 tax duplicate for Marion is $7,088,380, of which over $4,000,000 is real estate that will be appraised by the newly-elected officers.

The board will assume sole responsibility for the appraisement and no individual member will be blamed for any mistakes that may be made. Some sections of the city may be under the general supervision of different members, but the board as a whole will stand the brunt of the numerous kicks which are to be expected.

Few men put off unti tomorrow the meanness they can do today.

MUST USE DRUG ON CONDEMNED

To Execute Him Without a Scene at Hanging.

THAT IS THE VIEW OF COUNTY OFFICIAL

Who Takes Pride in Neatness of His Jobs.

Fred Rosena, Who Is To Die December 2, Is in a State of Collapse. Utterly Refuses To Come Up to the Expectations of Sheriff Waddington When the Latter Coaches Him or Attempts Dress Rehearsal.

New Castle, Pa., Nov. 24.—The spectacle of a man being chloroformed in order to be hanged may be witnessed here unless the state board of pardons moves to save Fred Rosena, who is under sentence to be executed at the county jail at New Castle, December 2.

Rosena is in a state of nervous collapse, which is developing into continued hysteria, as the day set for his death draws nearer.

Sheriff Waddington avers that he is sick from worrying about what will become of his wife and three small children and fear of the gallows.

Sheriff Waddington declares that Rosena, in the event that his sentence is carried out, will have to be dragged to the scaffold by force or be overcome in some other way. The sheriff is considering a proposal to chloroform him, or drug him with some other potion, so that he can be executed without a scene or other difficulty.

"I have hanged two men without resorting to drugs," the sheriff said today, "and the executions were quite successful. I can not say that I am in favor of giving a man drugs under such circumstances, but in a case like that of Rosena, what can an official do?

Force Or Drugs.

"Either he has got to be taken to the gallows by force, and held there by main strength until the rope is put around his neck and he is dropped, or something else must be done. I certainly favor taking any humanitarian means, as long as they are legal, to make a condemned man's death as easy as possible."

Common Pleas Judge W. E. Porter, who sentenced Rosena to be hanged, most likely will be appealed to for a decision as to what legal right the executioners may have to drug Rosena before taking him to the gallows. The question is raised as to whether his being taken to the scaffold in an unconscious or even semi-conscious state would not defeat the ends of justice.

Every effort by Sheriff Waddington to instill courage and self-control into Rosena has failed. The sheriff is a man who does not take it upon himself to debate the question of capital punishment being right. He takes the position that he is bound by oath to carry out the decrees of the courts, and he takes pride in doing so well.

Rehearse Executions.

"There have been three executions at the jail," the sheriff said today. "One of these was twelve years ago; the other two I have performed. My two executions were, as I have said, quite successful. I just nerved the men up to it so that they rehearsed the whole affair the day before and everything consequently went off in good shape.

"But Rosena is different. I can't do a thing with him, though it may be that he has improved just a little the last two days. He goes into hysterics, however, at the mention of hanging. I tried to get him to look over the gallows, but he threw a fit. When he saw them by chance, he collapsed."

The sheriff believes that Rosena may be reprieved for sixty days. The condemned man's wife is fighting to save him. It was jealousy of her that led him to shoot and kill his own cousin a year ago last July. His youngest child was only seven days old at the time of the murder.

The wife with her three children visits Rosena at the jail every day. The sheriff says that the scenes at their meetings and partings are heart-rending.

Rosena, thirty-five, was turnkey for three years in the jail in which he now is a prisoner. He was court interpreter ten years. Sheriff Waddington says that he has captured more criminals than any other officer the county ever had.

Little Hope for Recovery.

New York, Nov. 24.—At the home of George Crocker, the California millionaire, in Fifth avenue today it was announced that his condition was practically unchanged. Little hope is held out for his recovery.

ODELL BOOMING MR. ROOSEVELT

Says Gubernatorial Nomination Is His for the Asking.

New York, Nov. 23.—Former Governor B. B. Odell, Jr., of New York was at the Waldorf and said: "I hear of a movement to nominate Roosevelt for governor next year. This information comes to me in such a way that I am not at liberty to dispute it."

"Who is in the game, governor?"

"Barnes and Woodruff and Loeb and a number of others," replied Mr. Odell.

"Can he get the nomination?" "According to the present condition of affairs," replied Mr. Odell, "he can get the nomination by lifting his little finger."

EMBROIDERY CLUB NICELY ENTERTAINED

Mrs. C. H. Allen Is Hostess to the Members.

TIME IS OCCUPIED BY NEEDLEWORK

Miss Minnie Doebert Entertains a Party of Friends at Dinner—Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Henkle Return Home After a Visit with Friends in Cincinnati—News Notes.

La Rue, Nov. 26.—[Special.]—The Embroidery club of this place was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. C. H. Allen of west Market street, Friday afternoon. Embroidery work occupied the afternoon, after which refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carey, of Marion, were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Carey, Wednesday and Thursday.

Clinton E. Prettyman of the La Rue bank force spent Thanksgiving with Dayton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Clark and daughter, Marjorie, visited Marion relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Spaulding, of Marion, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Tannyhill, Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Riley, Jr., family, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Simpson, of this place, and Harley Simpson, of Delaware, visited Sunday with relatives at Marseilles.

Carlton Conway, of Bradner, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seymore, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cutting, of Kenton, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thew several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smiley, of Marion, were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Smiley, Sunday and Monday.

A daughter was born, Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lauer.

Mrs. J. M. Temple returned to her home southwest of La Rue, Sunday, after a visit with her son, Charles Temple, and family, of Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Denman and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Keyes and children, Misses Mae Allen, Amy Head, Edna Riley, Erdine Sager, Messrs. Henry Burbaugh, R. Rizor, Ralph Kinnamon, Marsh Anderson, Wooster Denman and E. Shuster formed a company of friends entertained at dinner, Sunday, by Miss Minnie Doebert, at her home north of La Rue.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Thatcher and son, of Marion, spent Thanksgiving week with Mr. and Mrs. John Price.

Miss Maggie Crowley left, Friday, for Kenton, where she expects to spend the winter.

Mrs. Minerva Campbell, Miss Elma Kraner and little Miss Marie Payne spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Marion.

Miss Marguerite Guthery, of Delaware, spent Thanksgiving with friends at LaRue.

Miss Cartha Bell and Miss Mae Stahl were guests of Miss Perca Kemper, of Delaware, from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. T. P. Dodd and Mrs. Vernon Secord were Marion visitors, Friday

Miss Mabel Dilsaver, of Richwood, visited her sister, Miss Oscie Dilsaver, from Saturday until Monday.

Edward Mitten, of Near Waldo, visited relatives at LaRue Thanksgiving.

L. Norlee and R. Johnson visited in Akron, Wednesday.

R. D. Henkle visited relatives in Cincinnati from Sunday until Tuesday evening. Mrs. Kenkle, who has been in the city for a week, returned with him.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Clifton spent Thanksgiving with the former's parents, near DeCliff.

Mr. and Mrs. John Alt, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Burle Hunn and daughter, Margaret, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laubis, of near Hepburn, Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Mouser and family, of Marion, were guests of Mrs. Mouser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Ridgway, a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor, of Lorain, visited relatives at LaRue the past week.

Miss Elizabeth McElheny, of Delaware, is visiting her parents, north of LaRue, this week.

Black satin revers and cuffs are to remain in style.

SEVEN POWERS ARE INVOLVED

Great Britain, France, Russia, Italy and Turkey

ARE BEHIND KING GEORGE OF GREECE

Notify Military League of Greece to That Effect.

Germany and Austria Take Offense Because They Are Not Invited To Get into the Game—Notify Other Powers That They Must Be Considered in Handling the Situation. All Outcome of Cretan Trouble.

London, Nov. 24.—The Greek situation today threatens to involve seven powers of much more importance than Greece, in trouble.

It developed, today, despite official denials, that the English, French, Russian and Italian governments recently gave the Greek military league, which exercises virtual dictatorship over the Hellenic kingdom to understand that they will interfere to protect King George if the league threatens to overthrow his dynasty.

This action evidently offended Germany and Austria for an intimation was immediately sent out from Vienna and Berlin to the four powers that no interference in Greece must be undertaken without consultation with Kaiser Wilhelm and Franz Josef.

This, too, is denied, but it is certain that there has been a rapid exchange of notes between the six capitals ever since.

No Agreement in Sight.

There is the highest authority for the statement that the dispute has grown more and more acrimonious and that no agreement is in sight.

Soon after this seven-sided dispute began, Turkey gave notice that she is prepared to act in conjunction with England, France, Russia and Italy. The latter four countries justify their interference in Grecian affairs by the fact that they have had charge of the administration of Crete for the past twelve years and that as the present Grecian crisis grows out of the Cretan situation, they are directly responsible. Turkey is interested because King George opposes a war between Greece and Turkey while the Military league wants Turko-Greek hostilities at once.

Germany and Austria are jealous of the strength of the other powers in Greece, and they do not propose to be kept out of the situation. The pledges of support given King George do not mean that he may not abdicate, as he has repeatedly threatened to do, but that the powers do not intend to have him expelled in disgrace by the league.

POLE FINDER MAKES CONFESSION TO FIND

The Only Original Discoverer of the North Pole.

Professor William Lyon Phelps of Yale says that he is the only original discoverer of the north pole. He describes it in the following letter:

At latitude 87 I made my final dash, consisting of a few parenthetical remarks on the weather. I hitched the span, the sawhorse and the pony, to a new buckboard wagon, cutting off the tongue, so that I might be the first to announce my discovery. Ten miles had swiftly flown by, when the pony, thinking that the sawhorse was a seahorse, tried to eat him. The pony naturally resented this, and the team, already frightened by the narrowness of the meridian lines and by the spectacle of a large fountain penguin, became unmanageable.

The two faithful Eskimos were thrown out and were immediately devoured by polar bears, who, seeing their long beards, took them for arctic hairs, esteemed a great delicacy by these animals. I was pitched high in the air and landed on the small of my back, thus discovering not only the pole, but the whiffletree. At this moment my right ascension was about ten seconds, my declination, so far as any future attempts are concerned, was final and absolute. Yours very truly,

WILLIAM LYON PHELPS.

The Resemblance.

The British cabinet closely resembles Secretary Ballinger, in that, according to the Associated Press, it is most unlikely that it will resign unless it has to.—Ohio State Journal.

A tablespoonful of water or milk should be allowed for each egg in making an omelet.

Misplaced Sympathy.

You think of the turkey
Perhaps with a sigh.
"Poor fellow!" you ponder.
"So soon will he die!"
But think for a minute
Before he is dead
How many poor fellows
Will doubtless be wed.
And well ere the end of
The turkey begins
There's many a man who will
Doubtless have twins.
So waste not your pity.
For if he but knew
The turkey might be just as
Thankful as you.

DOUBLE FUNERAL OUT AT BUTLER

Bodies of De Armond and Grandson To Rest Side by Side.

Butler, Mo., Nov. 24.—Friday afternoon Congressman David A. De Armond and David Wadsworth De Armond, seven, his grandson, who perished together in the fire which destroyed the congressman's home, will be buried side by side in the Oak Hill cemetery here.

It has been decided to hold a double funeral over the two charred bodies found clasped in each other's arms in the ruins of the burned home, and statesmen who gather to pay a tribute to the congressmen will also honor the boy, to save whose life the elder man died.

It is believed that a notable gathering of the leading politicians of the state will attend the funeral.

A special election will be held to fill the congressional vacancy caused by De Armond's death. As the session is soon to open, it is expected the call will be issued soon and the election held at an early date.

Woman Murderer Acquitted.

San Francisco, Nov. 25.—Alma Bell, the young woman who shot her lover, Joe Armes, because she claimed he refused to marry her after betraying her, was acquitted at Auburn, Cal. The ground of acquittal was insanity at the time of the murder, although before and after the crime it was adjudged she was perfectly sane.

Communication Restored.

New York, Nov. 24.—The central cable office of the Western Union today announced that cable communication with all points in the West Indies had been restored after being out of commission since November 10.

CONCERT PROVES A PLEASING SUCCESS

Program Is Given Under Direction of D. M. Birch.

MRS. W. F. DUTTON RECOVERING RAPIDLY

The Public Schools at Agosta Are Closed for Thanksgiving—William Imbody Decides To Leave Farm. Disposes of Farming Implements. Agosta News Items.

Agosta, Nov. 26.—[Special.]—The concert given by the M. E. choir at the church, Saturday evening, was a pronounced success. A splendid program was given under the leadership of D. M. Birch and a neat sum realized. It will be applied toward the lighting plant that was recently installed in the church. Those assisting in the concert were Mr. and Mrs. Croft Bauer, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Carey, Mrs. C. F. Benson, Misses Jessie Burley, Martha Montgomery, Belle Montgomery, Edna Dutton, Ruth Baker, Hazel Baker, Messrs. J. L. Canouse, Carlton Sinclair, Clarence Dutton, Elmer Wilson, Vernal Birch and Ralph Godfrey.

The many friends of Mrs. W. F. Dutton will be glad to know that she passed through a successful operation for the removal of a tumor, at Mt. Carmel hospital, in Columbus, Saturday morning, and is getting along nicely.

William Imbody, one of Marion county's prosperous farmers, disposed of his farming implements and stock at a public sale, held at his residence three miles south of town, Tuesday. Mr. Imbody contemplates retiring from farm work, and will move his family some time soon from the farm. As yet he has not decided where he will make his future home.

Mrs. Jane Mason, of Marion, is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tonguet.

Frank Grimm returned home from Columbus, Thursday, where he has been employed in carpenter work for the past three months.

Charles Hathaway returned to Dayton, Wednesday, after a visit with his mother and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Rusler and daughter, Hester, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Johnston, near Green Camp.

Miss Grace Berger, of Marion, was a guest at the Joseph Burley home, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Halfhill, of Arnold, are visiting W. O. Halfhill and family.

Mrs. Aley Baker is suffering of an attack of grip.

R. O. Richards and Lewis Strawser have opened a meat-market in the Marshall store-room.

Mrs. George Witthsleger, of LaRue, spent Saturday with Mrs. John Leffler.

Miss Hazel Hosler was a Marion visitor, Saturday.

The public schools were closed, Wednesday afternoon, to give the teachers and pupils an opportunity to enjoy a Thanksgiving vacation.

T. E. Bombarger, of Marion, is working second trick at Longville, during the absence of W. F. Dutton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Irey were guests of E. E. Irey and family, near Meeker, Sunday.

Ermine stoles and muffs for evening are soft and flat.

PLAN TO CRIPPLE THE STEEL TRUST

Being Formulated by the Federation of Labor.

WANTS TO INTEREST BUILDING CRAFTS

Also the Crews of Vessels of the Steel Fleet.

Would Have the Building Trades Refuse To Handle Any Iron Not Union Made and the Crews Refuse To Handle Ore for Other Than Union Mills—Think the Time Is Propitious.

New York, Nov. 24.—The fight which the American Federation of Labor intends to wage against the United States Steel corporation is already getting under way. While the date for the American Federation of Labor council of war in Pittsburg is December 13, it was learned today that President Gompers and other members of the American Federation of Labor executive council, who were in New York to attend the National Civic Federation meeting, were in conference with prominent labor leaders from this city and elsewhere relative to a crusade which the American Federation of Labor will wage for the unionization of all the steel trust's employes.

The magnitude of the job confronting the American Federation of Labor is thoroughly appreciated, the labor leaders say, and it is this very fact that they count on most strongly for success.

A victory over the steel trust, the biggest industrial combination existing, which, according to a resolution adopted at the recent American Federation of Labor convention, is the "most formidable enemy of organized labor," would have a tremendous moral effect in labor warfares elsewhere, and for this reason those who will conduct the fight are preparing to expend every possible energy to make the fight successful.

It was learned today that one of the things that will be proposed and likely adopted, at the Pittsburg council, will be a determined effort to make the building trades department of the American Federation of Labor refuse to engage in any building operations where the steel used is not made in union mills. It is admitted that this would result in a serious tie-up of the building industry.

To Cripple Fleet.

Another weapon that will be used against the steel trust will be a war against the Pittsburg Steamship company, known as the "steel trust fleet," which carries most of the ore of the trust. The strongest effort will be made to cripple the lake service of the trust by unionizing its present employes.

The labor leaders declare that conditions will never be more propitious for a fight against the steel trust than right now. The American Federation of Labor is in good shape financially, but what the labor leaders are counting on for success most strongly is the "state of mind" throughout the labor world resulting from the crisis in which President Gompers, Vice President Mitchell and Secretary Morrison are now involved by reason of their violation of the court injunction and the prison sentences that stand against them.

This has made the time opportune, they declare, for a campaign of organization throughout the entire country. The New York labor leaders have promised the American Federation of Labor every possible assistance and they have urged upon Gompers and the other leaders the necessity of sending the ablest organizers in the whole movement to the Pittsburg field. These organizers will be drawn from all over the country and they will establish headquarters in Pittsburg from which the most sweeping movement ever attempted by the federation will be carried on.

BY A BACHELOR.

The surest thing about a liar is how indignant it makes him to have you know it.

We all deserve less than we want to have, but more than people want us to have.

If a man has a chance to do a lot of good in the world, he feels a grievance over it.

A woman is a wonderful creature to do so much more without brains than a man does with them.

A man wants his wife to be an angel if his treatment of her is calculated to make her a devil.—New York Press.

There are fewer suede slippers and more of satin.

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However, should "Uncle Joe" Cannon win out at the coming session, the paragraphers can go back to that good old favorite about the tilt of his long, black cigar

The Standard Oil people say they will accede to the ruling of the federal supreme court, which will in a measure dull the fears of those who labored under the impression that they might insist on reversing it

President Diaz of Mexico says "I would rather shake the hand of a workman than that of a millionaire." It would be easier to understand this were opposition allowed to show its head at election time down there.

Of course we will admit that the Wells Fargo & Company 300 per cent. dividend looks like an outrage on the public, but honestly, were you on the inside, how would you like to cut into a melon like that?

Senator Bourne continues to prophesy the renomination and reelection of President Taft in 1912 Some friend of the president should take Mr. Bourne out behind a shed and calmly yet forcefully explain to him what it means to a candidate to be touted by a Jonah prophet.

There can be no question but what the special interests after Loeb are fully as relentless as those which pursued Glavis and are still pursuing Pinchot, yet Loeb may save his neck. There's a difference in cabinet officers. Mr. Mac Veagh is standing behind his men and he doesn't care a hang what the special interests think of it.

However, it doesn't make much difference to the fellow who pays the freight, whether the money goes to the Standard under its own name or the Standard under another

It's lucky for Nicaragua that Uncle Sam isn't looking for a canal strip at the present time.

Only twenty-seven dead and two fatally injured as the result, thus far this season, of debrutalized football.

Of course, we do not know how it counts in the matter of honors, but to the fellow who is killed it certainly can't matter much whether it is by the reformed or the unexpurgated brand of football.

What we need now to make good business better is about four weeks of fine sleighing

Count Boni de Castellane is reported to be again looking for a wife. While, in the main, we would have the winning of American girls by titled foreigners such a labor that they would go to work to make a living, from preference, we have always felt since the second marriage of Boni's wife that possibly he didn't get a square deal

The Columbus Dispatch puts it in a line by saying the sugar customs are the worst ever

Uncle Sam will soon send eleven warships more to the scrap pile No use talking, preserving the peace costs money

We never note the price of eggs, these days, without rejoicing that Easter doesn't come in the winter season.

After reading the analysis of a popular breakfast food we feel that we must offer our humble apologies to the sawdust people

If former Secretary Shaw is right when he says that "men in the customs service have learned that it is not wise to discover fraud," Mr Loeb needn't be surprised to wake up any morning and find himself minus a head.

With Zelaya in the limelight, we begin to understand that Mr Castro was not as near the limit as we at one time imagined

The secretary of the treasury appears to love Mr. Loeb for the enemies he has made.

There never was a merrier Christmas than the present, judging by the tone of the Christmas magazines.

Mrs. O. H. P Belmont says she has recently received offers of marriage from forty different men We assume that this number includes the man who was certain that they could live together happily, she furnishing the money and he, the brains for the household.

A St Louis preacher holds that all sermons should be two hours long. Sure! We never took any stock in short naps at any time.

In case "Uncle Joe" Cannon is thrown out of the speakership, how regret will assail him that he didn't let Editor Ridder put him into the presidential chair.

A college professor killed himself because a baby was born to his wife It's hard to conceive how he would have expressed his feelings had it been a case of twins

Up in Michigan a girl wants $2,500 for a stolen kiss and down in Georgia a girl was given $5 75 by a jury for one Let us amend the late Horace Greeley's advice to "Go south, young man, go south"

The near approach of the holiday season makes some wonder how the keeper of the blind tiger will be able to carry a supply of that holiday beverage, Thomas and Jeremiah, in his hip pocket.

A scientific bit says butter will keep for years in the Arctic regions, which satisfies us that all the butter we have come upon has not been in Arctic storage.

Secretary Ballinger is doing a heap of explaining to the president for a man who has a White House vindication concealed about his person.

It doesn't matter much whether it is capital or labor—either will set up an awful yell when caught with the goods

All of us may hold up our hands in holy horror, but in case any of us should find a block of Wells Fargo stock in our stocking we would hardly rush down the Monday morning after Christmas to exchange it for gold mine shares.

If the Sherman law wasn't such a v-i-c-i-o-u-s measure John D Archbold would feel almost sorry for it

Up to date, however, the Standard has not charged that "Uncle Sam" has made it the victim of "mental assassination."

What's this? Turkey wants a $100,000,000 navy! Turkey going into the peace game! Wouldn't that jar you?

Champ Clark sees a Democratic majority of about 150 in the house Champ should consult an oculist at once

In case the worst comes to the worst, we hope none of our naval people will take it into their heads to annex Nicaragua.

✣ SPIRIT OF THE PRESS. ✣

Twins Would Suffer.

A gigantic sympathetic strike would do most harm to those twins of misery, the innocent bystander and the ultimate consumer.—Washington Post

They Have the Lots.

Now if every one who hasn't taken a lot and can afford to do so will come up and subscribe, we can soon close up this Greater Sandusky deal —Sandusky Star-Journal

Decree Granted.

A western man who claims to be the reincarnation of Napoleon is suing for a divorce, on the ground that his wife insists on living in Waterloo, Iowa.—Charleston News and Courier

A Nebraska Hero.

Now that a Nebraska court has decided that 'kissing a girl is not a proposal,' some of the girls who like to boast how many proposals they have had may have to revise the figures.—Boston Globe

Preliminary Training

After a lawyer has demonstrated extraordinary ability in the matter of keeping people from getting justice he is elevated to the bench for the purpose of giving it to them Chicago Record-Herald

Well and Good, If—.

If Mr Aldrich and his associates by their united genius can fashion a central bank whose functions and powers shall be purely automatic and mechanical, well and good but such a bank with us is impossible.—New York Sun

Ought To Console Marse Henri.

Our merry contemporaries are informed that the mint julep President Taft passed up didn't go begging.—Atlanta Constitution

Have Not Got Bearings.

It seems to be admitted that Mme Paladino's first séance in America was not thoroughly convincing Probably the spooks hadn't become acclimated.—Cleveland Plain Dealer

Push It Along.

Now comes the report that Andrew Carnegie is also to donate a million dollars to fight tuberculosis in the south Apparently there is some rivalry among the financial barons in the matter of benevolences. It should be encouraged.—Sandusky Star-Journal.

THE SCHUBERT CLUB AT COX RESIDENCE

Miss Leah Cox Is Hostess to the Members.

PLEASING PROGRAM OCCUPIES TIME

Miss Elliott Is Elected President of the Organization—The Pythian Sisters of Richwood Hold a Meeting and Elect Officers for Coming Year—Richwood Notes.

Richwood, Nov 25.—[Special.]—Miss Leah Cox was hostess to the Schubert club, Tuesday evening, at her home on south Franklin street A very pleasing Mendelssohn program was rendered, Miss Mary Jones reading an interesting sketch on the life of the composer Mendelssohn's "Song Without Words" was beautifully rendered by Miss Cox Miss Estelle Ross read a review of Shakespeare's 'Midsummer Night's Dream' At the conclusion of the program a business session was held Miss Lelah Winter, having resigned as president, Miss Una Elliott was elected to fill the vacancy Miss Nelle Fulton was elected as second vice president Several new members were voted into the club The next meeting will be held December 7, with Miss Edna Colver.

Mr. and Mrs Lee Cramer and children, of Dayton, have been guests of Mr Cramer's mother, Mrs Martha Cramer, and other relatives here, during the past week

Miss Orpah Mather was a visitor in Magnetic Springs, Wednesday

Miss Manta Cramer, of Marion, is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs Martha Cramer, of east Blagrove street

Miss Helen Osborn, of Columbus, was the guest, Friday and Saturday, of B P Hall and family

Mrs P Speyer, daughter, Kathryn, and son, Paul, and Miss Ivaloo Beem were guests of Mr and Mrs Adam Paul, of Galion, Saturday and

The Richwood public schools were dismissed Wednesday evening, for Thanksgiving and will not take up again until Monday Literary programs were rendered in all the grades and quite a number of visitors were present to enjoy the efforts of the pupils The new superintendent, D E Black, who comes here from Prospect, will have charge of the schools on their opening, Monday

A largely-attended meeting of the Pythian Sisters was held, Monday evening, and after routine business was disposed of, the semi-annual election of officers was held, resulting as follows Past chief, Miss Bert Spring; most excellent chief, Mrs E. O Masters, excellent senior, Mrs Sunday

Bruce Street, excellent junior, Mrs Charles Adams, manager, Mrs C J Baldwin, keeper of records and seals, Mrs W C Woolard, mistress of finance, Mrs M C Long; protector Mrs G W Worden, outer guard, Mrs L L Street, pianist, Mrs Florabelle Bennett, trustee, Mrs Mary Fulton, representative to grand lodge, Mrs M C Long At this meeting five candidates were initiated into the mysteries of the order Mrs Cora Hutchison, of Delaware, district deputy and inspector, was present and was greatly pleased with the work of the team At the conclusion of the work ice cream and cake were served and a delightful social hour spent

Misses Omah Jolliff and Irma Bates were visitors in Marion, Wednesday

W H Lyons visited his nephew, Claude Evans, and wife of Columbus, from Thursday until Saturday, and attended the state fair meeting of the Masons of Ohio

Mrs E R Graham and son, Robert who spent the summer at the Graham farm, just north of Richwood, left today for Chicago to spend a few days with Mr Graham and with Wiltsie Graham their elder son, who is a student in Ames college, in Ames Iowa Mr and Mrs Graham and Robert who has been in ill health for several months, will go to Citron Ile Alabama where the latter two will spend the winter

Benjamin Thomas of Radnor, spent the past few days with his uncle, Benjamin Thomas, of west Ottawa street The latter is suffering of cancer of the face and his death is expected at any time

Dr F M Wurstbaugh was in Columbus Monday, on professional business

Miss Bessie Baker visited from Saturday until Monday with relatives in Columbus

Mr. F R Hoenshiller of Magnetic Springs was the guest Sunday of Mr and Mrs G W Koch of west Ottawa street

Mr and Mrs F A Martin left, Tuesday, for Irish Florida where they will spend the winter, with their sons Ray and Walter and their daughter Miss Mae Martin

Mrs Lyda Crafty and Mr and Mrs Lloyd Winter returned home Monday from Marion where they were called a few days since by the death of the former's brother, Boyd Fisher

Mr and Mrs M F Simmons of East Liberty, were guests Tuesday of the former's brother, William Simmons, and wife, going on to Marion in the evening to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

Mrs Susan Godman and daughter, Mrs W E Metcalfe, of Toledo, have been guests of J M Wilkins and family and other relatives here, since Tuesday

Mrs Mary Rodgers has been the guest of her daughters, Mrs N. R Hildreth and Mrs. Hattie Welch, of Marion, during the past few days.

Mr and Mrs George Harriman went to Columbus, Wednesday, for a few days' visit with their daughter, Mrs W L January.

Mr and Mrs R R. Gray spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Frank Klinefelter, southeast of Marion

Mr and Mrs A Losey were called to Xenia, Tuesday, by the illness of the wife of their son, T. N Losey.

Miss Orpha McPherson, teacher in a district school near Delhance, is spending Thanksgiving vacation with her mother, Mrs Dora McPherson, and family

Clifton Blair and J M Howser have returned from a pleasant visit in Tuscarawas county.

Mrs Ruth Storms and son, Lutrellus, of York, were guests, Saturday, of the former's sister, Mrs Elizabeth Haines.

Mrs Hugh McCoy, accompanied by her son L J. McCoy, left, Monday, for their home in Wilmington. Mr McCoy, who is cashier of the First National Bank, has been ill of typhoid fever and has so far recovered as to be able to go to his home for a few weeks' recuperation before resuming his duties in the bank

Mr and Mrs J B Miller left, Sunday, for their home in Phoebus, Virginia, after a pleasant visit with the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs W S. Winters, of south Franklin street

O B Conkright, of Columbus, was a guest, Sunday, at the home of E H Perkins and family, of east Blagrove street

Mr and Mrs Harold T Barnes, of Columbus, were guests, Sunday, of the latter's father, Edward Patterson, north of Richwood

Mrs E Y King and her sister, Miss Cora Comer, of Delaware, visited from Saturday until Monday with Mr and Mrs C E King

Miss Adelaide Bailey, of Monnette hall, Delaware, visited from Friday until Monday with her aunt, Mrs E R Graham, and family.

Miss Flora Kightlinger, of Marysville, visited her aunt, Mrs. C. D Sidle, and family, during the past week.

Miss Irma Bates, who was employed as trimmer in Miss Bessie Baker's millinery store during the past season, left, Wednesday, for her home in North Lewisburg

Clyde Lytle, the nine-year-old son of Mr and Mrs William Lytle, of north Franklin street, while playing around their yard, Sunday, fell from the roof of the chicken-house and broke the bones in his left elbow Dr W B Duke and Dr F M Wurstbaugh rendered the necessary surgical aid The fracture was a very serious one and the little fellow will be laid up for some time The physicians fear that the joint will be permanently stiffened

Mrs F M. Wurstbaugh and little daughter, Ruth, returned home, Monday, from a few days visit with the former's grandmother, Mrs Rachel Inskeep, of Essex

One of the severest wind and rainstorms of the season visited Richwood Monday evening, lasting for several hours Branches were blown from the trees, chimneys were torn down and considerable damage was done

Mrs O A Knapp, of Elkins, West Virginia, has been the guest of her sister, Miss Euphemia Huston, supervisor of art and music in the Richwood public schools, during the past several days

B C Roberts went to Cleveland, Tuesday, to spend several days with his daughter, Mrs F C Hottell, and family

Mrs J W Kyle, Mr and Mrs H D Kyle and sons and Mr and Mrs J W Tallman were guests, Sunday, of Mr and Mrs Arthur Thompson, of Marion

Mr and Mrs L C Beem are moving into their new home on south Franklin street The residence, which was the former home of B L Talmage, has been enlarged and modernized

Mrs Clarence Morris and children, who have been guests of the former's parents, Mr and Mrs W S Winters for several months past have returned to their home in Carroll

Edwin Kinney has resigned his position in the shoe department of B F Carmean's store and is now employed as clerk in the drug store of M C Wolgamot

Miss Mary Jones spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs Mary V Jones of Marion

Mr and Mrs H H Wynegar and Miss Gertrude Hipp of Columbus, were guests, Sunday, of Mr and Mrs William Dyal and F E Moore and daughter

Mrs Agnes Mouser of Galion, is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs Ralph Cox

Dwight Winter of Raymond, is visiting his uncle Lloyd Winter, and other relatives in Richwood

Arthur Williams, of Marion, is spending the week with his brother George Williams, and wife, west of Richwood

S A McNeal has purchased the S W Van Winkle property on south Franklin street and will move into the same next spring

Thomas Parish and family are moving to Richwood this week from their farm east of Essex Mr Parish recently purchased the E H Perkins property, on east Blagrove street and has remodeled the same

Mrs Una Elliott was called to North Lewisburg, Sunday, by the illness of her sister, Mrs Gilbert She returned, Sunday night, and was again called to her sister's bedside, Tuesday night, as her death was expected at any time

Miss Foster, a returned missionary from Japan, is the guest of Rev M R Stover and family this week Miss Foster spoke in the Methodist Protestant church Tuesday evening

CALEDONIA ITEMS OF PAST FEW DAYS

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ryan To Move to California.

AN AID SOCIETY TO GIVE SUPPER

Pythian Sisters Elect Officers for the Ensuing Year—Special Exercises Are Observed at Public Schools. High School Entertainment Postponed—O. L Hipsher in Chicago.

Caledonia, Nov. 26.—[Special.]—Mr and Mrs Edward Ryan have sold their property on south High street to Henry Barringer and will leave about the holidays for California, where they expect to make their future home

The Ladies' Aid society of the M E. church will hold a chicken-pie supper in the basement of the new church, Saturday evening

Miss Elsie Mosel, of Willoughby, spent the week with her parents east of town.

Wallace Hill of Marion, spent Thursday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs A Cunningham

Mrs Helen Althorp and Mrs Eva Buhl and child, of Chicago, are the guests of Mr and Mrs Theodore Stafford.

The Pythian Sisters elected the following officers at their regular meeting, Tuesday evening Maude Pittman, past chief; Lo Hipsher, most excellent chief, Blanche Highly, excellent senior; Ada Geddis, excellent junior, Effie Doyle, manager, Virginia Underwood, protector, Cora Pommert, outer guard, Bertha Ehlers, captain of degree staff, Isabelle Warwick, mistress of records and correspondence; Tirzah Jackson, mistress of finance.

The pupils of the primary departments of the public school rendered Thanksgiving programs of songs, drills and recitations, Wednesday afternoon

The entertainment which was to have been given in the town hall by the High school, Tuesday evening, was postponed on account of the serious illness of a relative of Mr Parry, the music teacher. If nothing prevents, it will be held next Tuesday evening.

O L Hipsher, of west of town, is in Chicago where he is taking a course of instructions as a public auctioneer He expects to be gone about six weeks.

A daughter was born to Mr and Mrs. Judd Lyon, who reside northeast of town, Thursday

Mrs Cooper Gever, of Marion, was the guest of her parents, Mr and Mrs George Henry, Thursday

W. B Hart, of Cleveland, is spending the week with his family on north Main street

Mr and Mrs Levi Cornwell and daughters, Edith and Sibyl, of Marion, were the guests of C. A Highly and family from Saturday until Monday

Walter Stone, of Galion, was the guest of his mother, Mrs W S Stone, Saturday

Mr and Mrs Homer Jones and daughters, Violet and Gladys, of Mattel; Howard Neal and the Misses Hazel and Vberta Neal, of Kirkpatrick, were the guests of Mr and Mrs. M V Neal, Sunday

Dr and Mrs I F Baker and daughter, Mildred, visited relatives at Fulton, the latter part of the week.

Charles Iden went to Luna Wednesday, where he visited relatives several days His wife and baby daughter, who had been there several weeks returned with him

The members of the oriental degree of the Knights of Pythias lodge enjoyed a rabbit roast, Thursday evening Five candidates were given the degree and the affair proved an enjoyable success

Mrs Calvin Price and daughter, of Bucyrus were the guests of relatives here, Wednesday

Mr and Mrs Douglas Stafford, Mr and Mrs William Stafford, Mr and Mrs John Stafford, Mr and Mrs George Hostetter and Mrs William Williams, of Marion, attended the funeral of Mrs Wealthy Stafford, Wednesday

Mrs Samuel Reeder, of Cleveland is the guest of relatives here this week

Mrs Nellie Reed, of Marion, visited with Mr and Mrs Sidney Baker several days this week

Mrs Richard Gever entertained a small party of guests at her home, Wednesday. A dinner was the prominent feature of the day The out-of-town guests were Mrs Mary Hurley, of Piqua, and Mrs Reuben White of Marion

Mr M Iden and Charles Iden went to Columbus, Monday morning, to purchase goods for the holiday trade

Andrew Sekel, of Marion, came to the home of his parents here the first of the week and has been quite ill of quinsy

Mr and Mrs S S Simpson left, Wednesday, for Columbus, where they will visit their sons several days

Mr and Mrs John Kinnamon moved fro mthe William Douce farm to their home on south Water street, Tuesday Mr and Mrs W H Haas moved into the Mary Hart property and Mr and Mrs William Douce moved from Marion to their farm, west of here, vacated by Mr Kinnamon

✣ HOUSEHOLD HINTS ✣

More and more wide ribbon is being used on hats.

To keep a hat on straight with thin hair, place a small piece of tulle or veiling across the top of the head before pinning on the hat

Grind a handful of sunflower seeds and give them to the canary The birds relish the little tender pieces that are found among the seeds

An excellent household remedy for burns is olive oil or vaseline The great thing is to exclude the air from the burned surface, and this the oil will do.

A delicious salad is made of bananas cut in slices dipped in mayonnaise, rolled in minced nuts and served on white lettuce heart leaves

There is no more efficacious way of removing finger marks from woodwork, window panes or porcelain than by wiping them with a cloth moistened with kerosene

An effective scarf for a hall table may be made of linen crash with a figure embroidered on each end and of the same design as the paper on the wall

When a slice or two of bread is left from a meal, do not put into the bread box to be forgotten, but cover over in a dish and use for toast at the next meal

For washing windows, which should be done when the sun is not shining on them, use warm water with a tablespoonful of kerosene added to each pail of water

Ripe persimmons now appearing in the fancy fruit stores are sometimes mashed and stirred into plain ice cream just before it is packed for the last freezing

Put pockets on the under side of aprons near the right hand edge and they will be found just as convenient for use, yet will not catch on door knobs and get torn

Lamp burners should be washed frequently to remove dust and carbon that choke the perforations Occasionally they should be boiled in a washing soda solution

When giving sticky medicines to children heat the spoon by dipping it for a moment in hot water then pour in the medicine and it will slip easily from the spoon

Cotton gloves to wear in doing housework are cooler and better in every way than old kid gloves If bought especially for this purpose get a size larger than usually worn

To keep white gloves clean in a muff, have an adjustable lining of white silk or satin that may be fastened in over the dark lining of the muff with invisible hooks and loops

If collar stays scratch the neck, a little while sealing wax melted and applied to the ends of the stays where they have broken through the casings will easily relieve the trouble

When a small clock is beyond repair do not throw it away but keep for sick room use Set the hands each time medicine is given to the hour when the next dose is to be given

Cut off the bottom of an old water bottle and then cut the rubber into strips up to the curve at the top to make a whip or beate for couches, mattresses, pillows, etc

Two Best Days

Saturday and Monday willbe the two best days for selecting a

Coat or Suit

at either of the three special prices—

$12.50—$15.00—$18.50

The values are unusual, but it's the first step toward clearing stock preparatory to the rush of Christmas buying.

Uhler-Phillips

FRANK D. MORRIS GIVEN A SURPRISE

The Pleasant Celebration of an Anniversary.

MR. MORRIS IS VERY NICELY REMEMBERED

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lanius Are Host and Hostess to a Company of Their Friends—Affair in Honor of Mrs. J. J. Bebout and Daughter. Green Camp Notes.

Green Camp, Nov 25.—[Special.]—Mrs Frank D Morris planned a pleasant little surprise for her husband, Friday night, in honor of the forty-first anniversary of his birth. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of the Morris home were Mr. and Mrs L R Hopkins, Mr and Mrs J. H Smeltzer, Mr and Mrs. J. M. Lanius, Mr and Mrs. Harry Watts, Mrs J J. Bebout, Mrs Lorena Cobb, Wellie Slack and Frank Hopkins. Mr Morris received several substantial gifts The hostess served a fine supper

Mr and Mrs M. L. Tilton, of Mt. Olive, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs Ray Hedges, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs J. M. Lanius gave a turkey roast, Saturday, in honor of Mrs J J. Bebout and daughter, Ruth, of Okeene, Oklahoma, who have been visiting here several months. The guests were Mr. and Mrs Jerry Slack and children, Mrs V. L. Slack, of Green Camp; Wellie Slack, of Ashley, William Slack, of Marion, and Mrs. Nora Douce, of Caledonia.

Born, Thursday morning, to Mr. and Mrs C. G Ritzler, a daughter.

W. J. Court and John Detwiler were business visitors at Peoria, Saturday

Mrs Chris Bitzer, of Mt. Gilead, who has been at the home of William Wynn during the illness and death of her sister, Mrs. Wynn, returned to her home, Tuesday morning

Miss Bertha Uncapher, who is attending school in Columbus, visited her parents, Mr and Mrs Charles Uncapher, Sunday

Mr and Mrs George Martin and family were entertained at the home of Mr and Mrs. Daniel Huffman, Sunday

Mr and Mrs Howard Mock and son, Wallace, and Miss Cora Smith, of Marion, were entertained by Mr and Mrs Randolph McClelland, last week.

Miss Nora Savidge returned, Sunday night, from an extended visit with friends at Carey

Henry Foos is visiting friends at Galion

Mr. and Mrs W B. Patten, of Delaware, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Charles Gilbert

Miss Winnie Ferrin, of Marion, visited her brother, Morris, Sunday.

Mrs H H Hoyt and Mrs. Emma McNeal are among the sick this week

Virgil Wolfinger, who has been ill for several months, is at the Dr C. E Sawyer sanatorium for a few weeks' treatment

Jacob Carey and a party of Prospect friends returned, Thursday, from an extended hunt in the woods of Maine

Trimming.

To tell the fellows up town you are opposed to woman suffrage and then go home and explain to your wife that you are heartily in favor of it may be good politics, but there's also another name for it.—Toledo Blade

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MRS. THOMAS E. DAY HOSTESS TO COMPANY

The Current Topic Club Enjoys a Program.

DISCUSSION OF TIMELY TOPICS

Mrs. J. H. Dundore Entertains the Members of the Embroidery Circle. The S. J. W. Club Meets with Mrs. William Curl—Musical Program Is Enjoyed—Some Social Notes.

The Current Topic club gave its regular weekly program at the home of Mrs. T. E. Day, Tuesday afternoon.

The program was very interesting and the members were enthusiastic over all the topics under discussion.

Roll call was answered with "Current Topics." "Nathaniel Hawthorne and His Romances" was the title of a paper given by Mrs. Will H Hunt and she brought out many pretty little sentiments connected with the great author's life. Miss Floretta Allmendinger had a splendid paper on "Amos Bronson Alcott and Louise M. Alcott." "The Brook Farm Experiment" was a paper by Miss Etta Jacoby, followed by Mrs. Earl T. Smart, who had given much thoughtful consideration to her subject, "Literature an Ideal."

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. B. Kearse, of Bradford street.

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Mrs. J. H. Dundore delightfully entertained the ladies of the Embroidery circle and a few invited guests, Tuesday afternoon. The time, which passed all too quickly amid such pleasant surroundings, was spent in needlework. A nicely-prepared menu was served at the close of the afternoon. The club adjourned to meet two weeks from Thursday with Mrs. William Foster, of south Main street.

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The S. J. W. club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. William Curl, of Montrose avenue, Tuesday afternoon.

Embroidery work occupied the guests for a time, after which a delightful musical program was rendered by Miss Mabel Wottring. In a musical contest, Mrs. John Haines and Mrs. Clarence Huston were tie. In the cut, Mrs. Haines was awarded a china dish. The consolation prize went to Mrs O. D. Wonder.

Aside from club members the guests were Mrs. Christian Linson, of Jackson Center; Miss Mabel Wottring, of Prospect; Mrs. George Temple, Mrs. Christian Baldauf, Mrs. O D Wonder, Mrs. Thomas Moore, Mrs. Mary Anderson and Mrs. William Stockman.

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At their home on Vine and Church streets, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Harkness complimented the Acme club at it's regular meeting, Tuesday evening. Twelve games of euchre were played. Mrs. Charles E. Gompf was the fortunate winner of the ladies' prize, a sterling silver fork. Mr. A. B Lawson received the gentlemen's favor, a brass ash-tray, and Mrs. Wilbur Dingler was awarded the consolation prize.

Arrangements were made for a meeting of the club in two weeks at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Guthery.

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As a courtesy to little Miss Charity Lederer, Mr and Mrs. W. J Grills, of south Vine street, gave a charming five-o'clock tea, Tuesday evening. The affair was in honor of her sixth birthday anniversary and she was handsomely remembered.

The little visitors included Rozella Robins, Lucille Robinson, Miriam Oatey, Helen Beaver, Mary Elene Wright and Dorothy Houghton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunter, residing on the corner of Darius and Henry streets pleasantly celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Hunter were married, fifty years ago, near Marseilles and have lived in this vicinity, with the exception of three years spent in Indiana, ever since. Dr J. A. Hunter, of Columbus, is a son and they have a daughter, Mrs. Herman Stout, of Agosta, who were here to help with the celebration which was rather quiet on account of the death of Mr. Hunter's sister which occurred a few months ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter have many friends throughout the state who sent letters of congratulation and wishes for many more years of life together.

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Miss Catherine Barringer, of St. James street, was agreeably surprised, Monday, by her children and her grandchildren gathering and helping her to celebrate her seventy-seventh birthday anniversary. A bounteous dinner was served, at which were seated those most dear to the venerable hostess. One son, Dr. D. Barringer, of Rocky Ridge, being unable to attend, sent a telegram conveying congratulations which was read at the table. The afternoon was spent in a social way and many handsome presents were left the hostess.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Barringer, of Fremont; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Barringer and daughters, Margie and Iva, of near Caledonia; Mrs. Charles Southerland and son, Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mason, Mrs. Charles Barringer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barringer and son, Hally, Mr. and Mrs. John Zachman, Mrs. Harry May and son, LeRoy, and daughter, Harriett.

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Mrs. Harry M. Vogel, of east Center street, welcomed the Young Matrons' Embroidery club for a season of needlework and sociability, Tuesday afternoon. The hostess entertained her guests with a novel guessing contest. Each lady brought a baby picture of herself which the hostess numbered and gave in exchange a Thanksgiving card which was used for names. The one revealing the most identities of the women by the pictures was to receive a prize. Mrs. Harry Scherff and Mrs. Lennon were the successful ones and received leather hand-painted taborette covers.

Mrs. L. D. Zachman was enrolled as a member and received a cordial welcome into the club. The guests were Mrs. E. B. Bain, Mrs. Owen Reasoner, Mrs. Harry Scherff, Mrs. Joseph T. Mason, Mrs. C. W. Jerew and Mrs. Jacob Bolinger.

The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. John Zachman, of east Church street, Wednesday, December 1.

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Miss Priscilla Neimeyer celebrated her birthday anniversary, Tuesday evening, with a jolly family party, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. James L. Lust, of Cherry street. Progressive flinch was the game chosen for entertainment.

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Mrs. John D. Owens and Mrs. Clifford A. Owens gave a beautifully-appointed one-o'clock luncheon at their residence on east Center street, Wednesday, in honor of Miss Pearl Cheney who formally announced her engagement to Mr. George V. Schweinfurth, Wednesday. The wedding will be celebrated Friday evening, December 1, at the Epworth Methodist Episcopal church.

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The N. Y. B. club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Charles Schoonmaker, of west Columbia street, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Schoonmaker was celebrating a wedding anniversary along with the club-day pleasures and extra preparations were made. The dining room was converted into a minature Japanese garden with festoons of red and green crepe paper, Japanese lanterns, red carnations and fern leaves. The table from which a course dinner was served was enriched by red carnations and fern leaves, being placed with effect in the center and scattered over the cloth. Dainty place cards and flower favors were used. All the members were present to enjoy the festivities.

The next place of meeting will be with Mrs. Alice Tea, of west Columbia street.

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Honoring her house guest Miss Helen Smith, of Cleveland, Miss Dona Ruth Crissinger gave a delightfully informal bridge party Wednesday. After the games, the young people assembled at the Tally Wag club ball-room where they danced until a late hour.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Hord Guthery, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Smith, Misses Helen Smith, Hilda Garberson, Mae Clark, Ruth Fisher, Marguerite Krause, Harriett M. Wolford, Hazel Harvey, Roma Hostetter, Jennie Collier, Helen Rosenberg, Stella Evans, Messrs. Frank Knapp, Dale Ludwig, Arthur King, James Woods, Harvey Gracely, Augustus Hogan, Clifford Stoll, David Evans and Joseph Grundy.

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Mrs. J. A. Whiteman, of Leader street, entertained at a six-o'clock dinner, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William Frye, Mrs. E. J. Whiteman and daughter, Rheda Maxine, of Toledo, and Mrs. David Douglas and daughter, Helen, Wenesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frye left for Cheyenne, Wyoming, Thursday.

THE PASTOR'S HOME IS SCENE OF MARRIAGE

Miss Almendinger and Mr. W. M. Zieg United.

Miss Leah Almendinger, of Pleasant township, and Mr. Walter W. Zieg, of this city, were married by Rev. George Wahl at the latter's home, on south Prospect street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The young people will make their future home in a new house being built by the groom on Bain avenue.

RAILROAD.

Fred Schuck, of Galion, an engineer of the Erie, fell from the running board of his engine at the Erie roundhouse, about 11 o'clock, Saturday night. He sustained a large gash in his head and was otherwise badly bruised. He was removed to the union station in the Postle-Curtis ambulance and was taken to his home in Galion on Erie train No. 14.

BIRTHS.

A daughter was born, Sunday, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morgan, of Blaine avenue.

A daughter was born, Friday, to Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Hinamon, residing northeast of the city.

MOTHERS' COUNCIL NICELY ENTERTAINED

Mrs. L. R. McNeill Is Hostess to Members.

AFTERNOON GIVEN TO FINE PROGRAM

Miss Clara Wottring Gives Luncheon for the Members of the Embroidery Club at Her Home at Prospect. Mrs. W. F. Almendinger Hostess to Lutheran Ladies' Society.

Prospect, Nov. 24.—[Special.]—The Mothers' council, met with Mrs. L. R. McNeill, at her home on Water street, Thursday afternoon. At roll call, each guest answered the question "What Does Thanksgiving mean to me?" Mrs. Amy Fish read a selection, "Thanksgiving 1789-1909." Mrs. Harvey Wolfley contributed some "Helpful Thoughts." Mrs. A. L. Gast gave a humorous reading, which was much appreciated. Mrs. Ben Fox had charge of the "Current Events." After a short social session, a luncheon was enjoyed. The council will meet with Mrs. T. J. Court in December.

Miss Clara Wottring gave a Thanksgiving luncheon to the members of the Embroidery club at her home, Tuesday afternoon. All of the club members were present and enjoyed a season of needlework, after which the guests repaired to the dining-room, which was tastefully decorated in corn, pumpkins and yellow crepe paper. A huge pumpkin hollowed out and filled with seasons fruits formed the centerpiece. The guests names written on corn husks formed the place cards. Miss Cora Johnson, Miss Myrtle Osborn, Mrs. Carl Gast, Mrs. D. P. Hord and Mrs. Albert Johnson were guests of the club.

Mrs. W. F. Almendinger was hostess to the Ladies' society of the Lutheran church at her home on Water street, Tuesday evening. A choice program was rendered.

Miss Edna Smith was the guest of Mrs. Edward Barth, in Delaware, Sunday.

Miss Winifred Gast is spending several days with friends at St. Mary's

Miss Hortense Van Osten, teacher of the A and B primary grades, was absent this week on account of illness and her position was filled by Miss Emma Stuckey.

Appropriate Thanksgiving exercises were held in the different rooms in the public schools, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. George Frye returned to her home in Rudolph, Saturday, after a pleasant visit with relatives.

Mrs. Elmer Roberts, of Lima, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Gast.

Paul Miller, who spent the past year in northern Michigan, returned, Saturday, to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Miller.

Mrs. J. T. Morris, of Marion, was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. T. B. Weaver, several days last week.

Mrs. Sarah Thatcher and Mrs. John Hollenbach are visiting relatives at Rockbridge.

Miss Clara Cope spent Friday with friends in Delaware.

Mrs. E. L. Landrum, of Owens, spent Friday with her brother, Harvey Thrush and family.

Mrs. Clara McDonald, of Columbus, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Stockman.

Miss Minnie Aebker, of Indianapolis, Indiana, visited the past week at the Reformed parsonage, the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. E. Huckeriede.

Homer Smith attended a district meeting of the Independent Telephone association in Columbus, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Rouse, of Marion, were the guests of John Rouse and family, Saturday and Sunday.

Earl Landrum and Will Thrush are spending the week hunting near Athens.

Mrs. Carl Neimeyer and Mrs. Maud Fox visited relatives in Marion, Wednesday.

Mrs. D. E Black returned, Thursday, from a pleasant visit with friends at Prairie Depot and Toledo.

LEVI C. GOODALE WANTS INFORMATION

Asks About Marriage of Mrs. May E. Goodale.

Levi C. Goodale, of Cincinnati, presumably the former husband of Mrs. May E. Goodale, who was married in this city about a year ago, has written a letter here asking for a transcript of the marriage certificate.

Mrs. Goodale was married to Dean A. Wills, of Cleveland, December 2, 1908, by Rev. E. G. Mapes, who was then rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church.

In his letter Mr. Goodale remarks:

"Both are divorcees and as the Episcopal church seldom permits its ministers to marry divorced persons, I am curious to know how an exception was made in this case."

The desired information will be furnished the "curious one."

A man can get wildly excited over a political question, unless he understands it.

BALKY STOCKHOLDERS MEET ASSESSMENTS

Receiver Justice Secures the Money in Columbus.

After proceedings in aid of execution had been brought in Franklin county by Receiver Charles L. Justice, of the Marion Manufacturing company, five balky stockholders were made to pay their assessments, Monday and Tuesday. The total amount paid by them was $683 and Receiver Justice brought the money home with him, Tuesday evening.

At the time Judge Daniel Babst assessed each of the stockholders of the defunct company $45 a share to pay off the indebtedness, executions were issued and sent to the Franklin county sheriff by Sheriff John G. Stark. Later the papers were returned with the information that the parties had no property on which to make executions. Afterward Receiver Justice learned that this was not the case and he went to Columbus, Monday. He immediately started the proper proceedings to call the five recalcitrant stockholders into court and to question them as to certain property and what they did with it. The result was that all paid their assessments.

MUSICAL CLUB GIVES A PLEASING AFFAIR

Music Lovers of the City Enjoy a Treat.

THE PARISH-HOUSE IS SCENE OF GATHERING

Some of Marion's Best Talent Appears on the Program and the Various Numbers Are Received with the Greatest Appreciation—Concert Success in Every Detail.

A rare treat was given the music lovers of this city when the Morning Musical club gave a concert in the parish-house of St. Paul's Episcopal church, Tuesday evening.

The program was opened with Rubenstein's "Feramors," four hands, by Miss Meredith and Miss O'Brien. Mrs. Geneva Johnstone-Bishop, accompanied by Mrs. Victor E. Dombaugh, contributed "The Bee," "The Years at the Spring" and "Aria." Mrs. B. L. Wallace, who has a flexible and charming voice, gave "On Conway Quay" and "The Fairies' Lullaby." Two selections from Chopin were given on the piano by Miss Durfee. "Sunset," one of Dudley Buck's masterpieces, was sung by Mrs. W. N. Harder. Miss Marguerite Krause gave a delightful piano selection from Chaulmade entitled "Autumn." A vocal duet, "O That We Two Were Maying," given by Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Harder, captivated the auditors.

The second part of the program was given exclusively by Mrs. Bishop in costumes and scenery to suit the songs she had selected. Before each song, Mrs. Bishop gave a short talk and described the incidents relating to her song. Nearly all were given in the language in which they were written Part first was an Indian scene and the songs were "Sunrise Call," "Lover's Wooing" from "The Blanket Song," "My Prairie Land" and "Little Papoose." The second part was a Hawaiian scene, the selections being given in the native tongue They were "Aloha Oe," "Kau Pua I Paokalani" and "In Dear Hawaii." The last of the program was in the Spanish. The songs were "Spanish Love Dance" and "Farewell to the Desert."

Miss Marguerite Krause accompanied Mrs. Bishop.

The whole program was beautifully arranged and those taking part did their work well The affair was largely attended and was a success from an artistic as well as a financial point of view.

EMBROIDERY CLUB ENJOYS AN AFFAIR

Company Entertained in Knights of Pythias Hall.

The G. B. Embroidery club, composed of a number of Morral's popular young women, entertained their young women and gentlemen friends in the Knights of Pythias hall at Morral, Tuesday evening. The hall was prettily decorated for the occasion and about sixty enjoyed the pleasures of the evening.

The hours were passed with music, cards and dancing. During the evening, supper was served by the members of the club.

Those present from a distance were Misses Gertrude Brewer, Flo Brown, Inez Heffley, Messrs. Elrey Brewer, Howard and Walter Mapes, of this city; Miss Martin, of Bucyrus; Miss Marjorie Seebach and Barney Martin, of Little Sandusky, and Homer Wood, of Harpster.

PUBLIC SALE.

On the Riley farm, three miles west of Marion, Wednesday, December 1, at 1 p. m. Seven horses, 7 cows, 47 hogs, 73 sheep Also some corn in crib, 400 shocks of fodder and some farming tools. Augenstine & Hutchinson. 11-p

It's never too late to mend—until it is too late.

REV. E. B. SHUMAKER CONDUCTS SERVICES

Revival Now in Progress at Sixteen Church.

AID SOCIETY PLANS A CHICKEN SUPPER

Charles Mason, of Near Martel, Sells His Farming Implements and Stock at Public Sale—Mrs. Priscilla Skinner Returns from a Visit at McGuffey—Martel Notes.

Martel, Nov. 23.—[Special.]— Revival services are being held at Sixteen M. E. church, north of town, by the pastor, Rev. E. B. Shumaker, of Iberia.

Mrs. J. A. Lalpply was a business visitor in Bucyrus, Monday.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church will give a chicken supper in the Heileman store building, Wednesday evening, December 1, for the benefit of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baldinger and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Reed, of Crestline, and Mrs. Louisa Baldinger, of Galion, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Glathart, south of town, Sunday.

Mrs. Samuel Sharrock and son, Iven, of Galion, visited relatives here, Tuesday.

Charles Mason sold his farming implements and stock at public sale, Tuesday.

Mrs. Alice Evans was a Galion visitor, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Auld and children spent Sunday with relatives in Iberia.

William Winch, of Sioux City, Iowa, and Mrs. Minnie Walker, of Guttenburg, Iowa, are the guests of their brother, Frederick Winch, north of town.

Mrs. F. M. Spurlock was the guest of relatives in Marion, several days last week.

William Weidamier was a business visitor in Marion, Thursday and Friday.

Dr. E. E. Matthews, of Mansfield, was a business visitor here, Wednesday.

Mrs Priscilla Skinner arrived home, Friday, after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Fullilove, at McGuffey.

Miss Luella Finney returned to her home in Mansfield, Tuesday, after a pleasant visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Auld.

John Slaughter is spending the week at the home of his son, Ray Slaughter, near Bucyrus.

Ralph Campbell returned to his home in Marion, Monday, after a pleasant visit at the home of his uncle, John Neff, north of town.

Mrs. Samuel Stauffer and Mrs. A. E. Benfield and granddaughter, Nellie, were the guests of Mrs. George Brockelsby in Marion, Saturday.

Misses Mary Amick and Hazel Kightlinger visited relatives in Galion from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. J. E. Cyphers was a business visitor in Galion Saturday.

Mrs. Ellisworth Dowas and daughter, Ruth, of Marion, spent Saturday at the A. S. Downs home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Price and children, of Bucyrus, were the guests of Mr. Price's sister, Mrs. W. S. Burton, Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Ballenger, of Bucyrus, spent Monday and Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Elmer Rorick.

Mrs. Stella Gingery and children, of Lemert, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Aurand, from Saturday until Monday.

ROBERT SCHULTZ DIES AT GALION

Coroner Finds That Death Is Due to Heart Trouble.

Robert Schultz, a well-known character of Galion, was found dead in a closet at the rear of a meat-market in Galion, Tuesday afternoon Schultz had been arrested, Saturday night, for drunkenness, and on his plea to be released when arraigned, Monday morning, the money in his possession, with the exception of twenty-five cents, was kept by the authorities. Instead of going to work, Schultz managed to get intoxicated a second time. He was arrested and released, Tuesday morning, on his promise to pay Saturday night. It was only a few hours after his release that he was found dead. A pint bottle which had contained whisky and was almost empty, was found at the side of the dead man.

It is said that Schultz had been working in Marion. Schultz is supposed to be known here as P. R. Schultz. P. R. Schultz was sent to the workhouse by Mayor Scherff on three occasions. He was arrested here for stealing a woman's cape from a buggy, for beating a board bill and for stealing a bicycle. He served time for all these offenses and was also arrested a time or two for intoxication. The coroner at Galion stated that his death was caused by heart trouble. He has no relatives in Galion. When arrested here he telephoned to a brother residing along the Cincinnati division of the Erie for assistance.

If a lamp wick moves up and down with difficulty a simple remedy is to pull out a few threads on either side of the wick.

FAREWELL RECEPTION GIVEN AT CHURCH

Harruff Families To Leave for West Soon.

A farewell reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. John Harruff and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Harruff by about seventy-five members of the Sunday-school of the Calvary Evangelical church, Tuesday evening. An entertaining musical and literary program was rendered.

The Harruffs will leave in the near future for Spokane, Washington, where they will reside. They have been prominent in the Sunday-school work of the Calvary church a number of years.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE JOINED IN MARRIAGE

Miss Boyd and Mr. Louis E. Rinker United.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Boyd, of this city, and Mr. Louis Emerson Rinker, of near Caledonia, were united in marriage at Napoleon, Tuesday afternoon, by Rev. Mr. Waggoner, the bride's former pastor.

Mr. Rinker is a well-known young farmer, and the bride formerly taught a school in Claridon township.

Mr. and Mrs. Rinker will make their home on a farm in Claridon township.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS HOLD COMMUNICATION

Degrees Are Conferred on a Class of Candidates.

REBEKAHS PREPARE FOR A BOX SOCIAL

A Meeting of Sosnowski Lodge of Rebekahs—Canby Lodge, No. 51, Knights of Pythias, Arranges To Give a Masquerade Ball Soon. Secret Society News Notes.

At a communication of Marion Chapter, No. 62, Royal Arch Masons, held at the Masonic temple, Tuesday evening, degrees of the order were conferred on a class of candidates. The attendance was extremely good.

Considerable business of the routine order was transacted at the regular meeting of the Red Men, Tuesday evening. Several applications were accepted and the degree will be conferred at the meeting next week. Following the business session, a social hour was enjoyed and lunch was served.

Sosnowski Rebekah lodge held a well-attended meeting, Tuesday evening, and arranged to hold a box social, Tuesday evening, November 30.

The knight rank was conferred on one candidate at a regular meeting of Canby Lodge, No. 51, Knights of Pythias, Tuesday evening. Arrangements were made to give a masquerade ball, Wednesday evening, December 1.

The regular meeting of the Companions of Foresters to have been held Thursday evening, has been postponed a week on account of Thanksgiving.

The dance given by Marion Lodge, No. 402, Knights of Pythias, Wednesday evening, to celebrate the remodeling and refurnishing of the lodge's new hall and club-rooms, was a big success. More than 100 couples were in attendance. Dancing was enjoyed until after midnight. The Knights of Pythias orchestra furnished the music.

The Home Guards met, Wednesday evening, in Red Men's hall with a good attendance. One candidate was initiated and applications of six were considered. There will be an open meeting, next Thursday evening, when Dr. Ebling, supreme councilor, from Van Wert, will be here.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Miss Nina M. Minshall and Albert L. Willis; Miss Laura M. Phillips and Harry M. Straw; Miss Laura May Dille and Jacob Neuman, and Miss Indiana Johnson and James M. Bucknell.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Miss Bertha M. Holland, of Prospect, and Charles E. Lyle, of Athens; Miss Bessie Belle Blake, of this city, and U. G. Sanderson, of San Francisco; Miss Lucretia L. Patten and Ralph C. Stoll, both of this city; Miss Clara E. Moyer, of Waldo, and Elmer L. Kaelber, of Marion; Miss Novia Auriel Davis, of Meeker, and Henry Ernest Wiley, of Morral.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Miss Marie B. Stuber and Madison H. Gunder, and Miss Lena Almendinger, of Pleasant township, and Walter W. Zieg, of this city.

PROBATE COURT.

M. L. Raub, executor of the estate of George S. Clark, deceased, has filed a report of inventory and appraisement of personal property, showing the amount to be $12,594.60.

THE APPROPRIATIONS ALLOWED WEDNESDAY

Allowances for Clerks in County Offices.

THE COMMISSIONERS ACT IN THE MATTER

Sum of $9,320 Is Allowed the County Officials with Which To Meet the Expense of Various Deputies and Clerks—All Included Except the County Surveyor.

A total appropriation of $9,320 was allowed the various county officials for deputies and clerks during 1910 by the county commissioners, who met for that purpose Wednesday. Commissioner Henry Selter was absent.

In addition to his request for $2,300 for his deputy and clerks, County Auditor Charles L. Allen asked for an appropriation, under another section, for $933.25 to provide for extra expense to be incurred in the decennial appraisement. He was allowed $2,300 for deputy and clerks, but his decennial appropriation request was cut down to $80 on the ground that the commissioners had already awarded the contract for the tax maps at a cost of $2,000, and that the amount asked for by the auditor was therefore excessive.

The amounts asked by the other county officials were granted, as follows:

Clerk W. W. Klinefelter, $800; Probate Judge W. S. Spencer, $1,800; Sheriff John G. Stark, $1,200; Recorder F. Tittlebaugh, $1,600; Treasurer W. C. Wottring, $1,920.

County Surveyor Edward S. Ault, under the law, will not file his statement for the probable amount needed for deputy and clerk hire until next June.

HENRY HOXWORTH IS GIVEN SURPRISE

All Hunters Do Not Look Alike to Him.

The following from the Richwood Gazette will make interesting reading here because it refers to a couple of Marion young women who are fond of the pleasures afield:

Last Saturday Henry Hoxworth, who lives on the Triplet farm just north of Richwood became very angry when he noticed two hunters rooming about his farm hunting quail and rabbits, as he had advertised against hunters for several weeks. He jumped one of his best horses and with club in hand started on the run for the cheeky hunters who did not seem to care if he did see them. This made him madder and madder. As he approached them they kept on shooting as if they owned the farm themselves. He finally reached the two hunters and was about to slide down off his horse and cuff their ears and perhaps use his No. 10 footwear or the club but their smiling faces and rosy cheeks which had been refreshed by the November winds, made him change his mind. He discovered that the hunters were pretty maidens dressed in their brother's clothes. Mr. Hoxworth was dumbfounded, he laughed heartily, and instead of cuffs and kicks, he kindly told the sweet little maidens to hunt all they desired and if they got hungry to come in and get something to eat.

Mr. Hoxworth tried to keep the matter a secret but one of his friends, who thought it was too good to keep, told the Gazette all about it.

A MUSICALE GIVEN AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Pleasing Program Enjoyed by Music Lovers.

The sixth regular musical given at the Free Baptist church, Wednesday afternoon, was a most pleasing affair. These musical programs are to continue throughout the winter and one will be given every sixth Wednesday, to which the public will be welcomed. Miss Grace Durfee gave an organ solo "At Twilight." H. S. Martin in his splendid baritone voice contributed "Great Is the Holy One of Israel." Miss Mary Dennison Galley played a delightful violin solo, "Meditation" from Massenet. Miss Grace Seffner gave an organ selection from Lemare. "Babylon" was sung by Miss Iva Coil followed by "Offertoire, an organ solo, by Miss Grace Durfee. A flute and violin duet was beautifully played by L. B. McNeal and Miss Galley.

MRS. M'FARLAND IS DISCHARGED BY COURT

Probate Judge Finds She Is Not Insane.

A United Press wire from Wapakoneta, Wednesday, says:

Probate Judge Longhorst today dismissed the charge of insanity brought against Mrs. Lillian McFarland, well-to-do divorcee, in whose home Miss Nellie B. Harris, rich Bucyrus spinster, was shot to death October 23.

The proceedings were instituted by a stenographer at the inquest into Miss Harris' death, who complained that Mrs. McFarland had threatened him.

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THE WASHBURN HOME SCENE OF GATHERING

Big Thanksgiving Dinner Served Company

MR AND MRS STOUFFER ENTERTAIN AT DINNER

Dinner Is Followed by a Hunt by the Gentlemen—Mr and Mrs Eugene Harmon Visit Mr and Mrs Lee Iden at Harpster—Notes of Week Gathered at Morral

Morral Nov 26—[Special]—Mr and Mrs O Washburn entertained the following relatives and friends at Thanksgiving dinner Mr and Mrs C D Hudson Mr and Mrs J H Ten Eick Mr and Mrs Thomas Hedges Mr and Mrs Perry Lawrence and family and Mrs Sarah Taylor of near Harpster Mr and Mrs Harpster Taylor of near Upper Sandusky and Misses Minnie and Ruth Martin of Ducyrus

Mr and Mrs C I Stouffer served a fine dinner to a company of relatives Thanksgiving Mr and Mrs Pearl Wood and family Mr and Mrs J Stouffer Mr and Mrs W C Hawk and two sons Mr and Mrs Charles Starkey and Mr and Mrs S M Stouffer and son enjoyed the hospitality of the old Stouffer homestead The gentlemen went hunting in the afternoon

Mr and Mrs Eugene Harmon spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mrs Harmon's parents Mr and Mrs Lee Iden, near Harpster

While G W Crim and family were at church, Wednesday night a lamp exploded in their home and badly burned the contents of one room The fire was extinguished in some unaccountable manner thus preventing the house from being destroyed

Mr and Mrs John Hawkins of Marion the son Charles of Marion were guests of Mr and Mrs C W Hawk Sunday

Misses Ica Riley Evah Downs and Ruby Staley of Marion were guests, Saturday and Sunday of Zella Coles

Marion Warner and sister Mrs Blanch Braley and two children Arthur and Leola were guests of Mr and Mrs George K Watts south of town Sunday

Mr and Mrs J B Berkley of near Nevada were visitors Sunday at the home of their son L I Berkley

Misses Hazel Schultz and Sarah Londensteiger were visitors in Marion Monday

R F Smith of Marion is spending the week with his parents Mr and Mrs Silas Smith

Mr and Mrs C H Postle and two children Lawrence and Josephine went to Columbus Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving with relatives

Miss Sarah Conn and Mrs Jennie Mattison and little daughter Ellen of Upper Sandusky and Mrs C P Ritter of west of Morral spent Friday with Mrs J H Bardon and Mr J H Ten Eick

Rev Mr Glasson and Mr and Mrs J Stouffer were entertained at dinner at the home of Mr and Mr Thomas Hedges Friday

A J Brown and daughter Mary Jane were visitors in Columbus Saturday

Mrs Silas Smith and daughter Daisy and son Stanley and Miss Okley Fulton were visitors in Marion Saturday

Mrs S M McWhorter and children of north of Marion were Morral visitors Saturday

Edward C F Lehman and husband Irwin returned Saturday night from a trip to Arkansas The gentleman purchased a half section of land in that state

Rev J S Altman of Harpster was a Morral visitor Tuesday

Mrs I W Rose of near Harpster was a guest of her daughter Mrs Bob Burkes Monday

Miss E E Forrest of Garrett Indiana came here Monday to visit her cousins Misses Marie and Romie Welsh

Mr and Mrs Ivy Cochran and little son Raymond of Marion visited her mother Mrs Sarah Fuller Sunday

Mr and Mrs C W Ferguson and children Ruth and Jean visited relatives in Marion Saturday night and Sunday

Mr and Mrs Dawson Minx left Tuesday evening, for Gallipolis to an extended visit with relatives

Mr and Mrs Charles Moder and two children of Milford Center are visiting at the home of Mrs Moders sister Mrs William Fulton

Misses Minnie and Ruth Martin of Ducyrus were guests this week of Miss Mildred Washburn and other friends

C W Ferguson and family spent Thanksgiving with his parent Mr and Mrs Allen Ferguson north of Mecker

Miss Ethel Bolley of Harlow is visiting at the home of her brother Dr F W Bolley

Mrs Ella Aushpaugh of Toledo has returned home after a visit of three weeks with Mr and Mrs S L Crossup

Misses Hazel and Margaret Shoots left Wednesday morning for Tiffin to visit Miss Omer Seitz

Mr and Mrs I I Barkley and children spent Thanksgiving with Mrs Berkleys parents Mr and Mrs John Neiderhauser near Upper Sandusky

Miss Jennie Hartman and little daughter spent Wednesday in Marion

Misses Issie Brobant, David Lincoln and E E Shoemaker of Marion were Morral visitors Thursday

Mr and Mr W W Miller very pleasantly entertained a large company of relatives at Thanksgiving dinner

Miss Beulah Cottrell was a visitor in Upper Sandusky Wednesday evening

Miss Hazel Forrest of Tiffin arrived in Morral Thursday morning, for a visit with her cousins Misses Marie and Romie Welsh

The Gay Ladies pleasantly entertained about fifty friends at a Thanksgiving party in the Knights of Pythias hall Tuesday evening The time was spent in dancing, cards and other amusements A pleasing feature was a mock wedding The participants were Miss Romie Welsh acting as bride Geo W Mahaffey groom Hazel Schultz maid of honor Abner Fuller best man Arthur C Wiley father of bride and Will Ham Baldwin justice A three course lunch was served Those present were Misses Orpha Mahaffey Edith Wilson Orpha Hoto Myrtle Pryor Grace Hessly Dessie Neff Marjorie Schoch Romie Welsh Hazel Lupton Audrey Polander Hazel Cottrell Marie Welsh Hazel Schultz Beulah Cottrell Mildred Washburn Gertrude Brower of Morral Flo Brown and Inez Hessly of Marion Minnie and Ruth Martin of Ducyrus Ella Forrest of Garrett Indiana Ethel Jolley of Richwood and Mabel Neiderhauser of Harpster Messrs Pearl Wilson William Wilson Homer Smith G W Mahaffey Harold Schultz Homer Wood Farney Martin Carl Lewis Carl Ritter Abner Busler Clifford Pryor Merle Kennedy Dwight Mahaffey John Wylie William Baldwin Arthur Wiley G H Crim H J Cook E E Moore L Neiderhauser Clarence Pryor Grover Hile J M Berg of Upper Sandusky Ivey Brewer Howard Mapes of Morral and Walter Mapes of Marion

MARRIAGE SERVICE AT PASTOR'S HOME

Miss Iona I Warner and Mr Ray Green Married

The marriage of Mr Ray A Green and Miss Iona F Warner of this city was solemnized at the Free Baptist parsonage Thursday evening Rev F E Curtis officiating

Mr and Mrs Green will make their future home in this city

ATHLETICS ARE THE REAL LOVE CURE

They Make Girls Level Headed in Regard to Men

"Athletics are the best antidote for love was the reply of Miss May Sutton the well known tennis player to an inquiry the other day at Los Angeles on her views of matrimony

I still think that no girl should marry before she is twenty five I said twenty five because I judge entirely by the nearly universal happiness of the English wives and they don't marry young Do you hear much of divorce in England No And here it is growing to be a distinct feature of this country I have often thought that perhaps the English girls tendency to sports has something to do with her level headedness concerning men Athletics meant especially conducive to sentiment

Any athletic girl American or English I not as apt to marry as young as the typical society girl The society girl lives in the atmosphere of dinners of music of soft lights and of flattery I don't say that's her fault necessarily to its development but I do mean that athletics are the best antidote for the poison of premature love affairs

Miss Sutton spoke admiringly of Eleanor Sears the Boston girl to whom

MISS MAY SUTTON

Harold Vanderbilt son of William K Vanderbilt has been very attentive Harold Vanderbilt is just crazy about her observed Miss Sutton In my judgment Miss Sears was the most attractive and best dressed woman in Newport Most of the girls at such there dress too elaborately for ordinary affairs and make up too much Why the women I played tennis with more me laugh You would have thought they were going to a tea party They wore picture hats tied down with ribbons veil and dainty kid gloves They can't forget their clothes even in athletics

THE FOUR PIGEONS

By W W JACOBS

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THE old man took up his mug and shuffled along the bench until he was in the shelter of the elms that stood by the Cauliflower The action also had the advantage of bringing him opposite the two strangers who were refreshing themselves after the toils of a long walk in the sun

My herring aunt wot it used to be' he said tremulously When you asked me to have a mug o' beer I didn't hardly hear you and if you was to arsk me to ave another I mightn't hear you at all

He looked round as the landlord approached and pushed his mug hastily in his direction The landlord obeying a nod from the second stranger filled it

It puts life into me said the old man raising it to his lips and bowing It makes me talk

Time we were moving Bob said the first traveler The second assenting to this as an abstract proposition expressed however a determination to finish his pipe first

I heard you say something about shooting' continued the old man and that reminds me of some shooting we 'ad here once in Claybury We 'ad a lot o' game in those parts and if it wasn't for a low poaching fellow named Bob Pretty—Claybury's disgrace I call him—we'd 'ave a lot more

It happened in this way Squire Rockett was going abroad to foreign parts for a year, and he let The Hall to a gentleman from London named Sutton A real gentleman he was open 'anded and free and just about October he had a lot of his friends come down from London to help him kill the pheasants

The first day they frightened more than they killed but they enjoyed theirselves all right until one gentleman who 'adn't shot a single thing all day shot poor Bill Chambers wot was beating with about a dozen more

Bill got most of it in the shoulder and a little in the cheek but the row he see fit to make you'd ha thought he'd been killed He laid on the ground groaning with 'is eyes shut and everybody thought he was dying till Henery Walker stooped down and asked him whether he was hurt

It took four men to carry Bill 'ome and he was that particular you wouldn't believe They had to talk in whispers, and when Peter Gubbins forgot himself and began to whistle he asked him where his hat was When they walked fast he said they jolted him and when they walked slow he asked em whether they'd gone to sleep or wot

Bill was in bed for nearly a week but the gentleman was very nice about it and said that it was his fault He was a very pleasant spoken gentleman and after sending Dr Green to him and saying he'd pay the bill he gave Bill Chambers £10 to make up for 'is sufferings

Bill had intended to lay up for another week and the doctor, who had been calling twice a day said he wouldn't be responsible for 'is life if he didn't but the £10 was too much for him and one evening just a week after the accident he turned up at the Cauliflower pulled off his coat and began to spend his money

His face was bandaged up and when he come in he walked feeble like and spoke in a faint sort o' voice Smith the landlord met him at the door chalked a couple of lines out on the parlor and Bill sat there like a lamb telling us all his sufferings and wot it felt like to be shot

I always have said wot a good thing beer is and it did Bill more good than doctors medicine When he come in he could hardly crawl and at 9 o'clock he was out of the easy chair and dancing on the table as well as possible He smashed three mugs and upset about two pints o' beer but he just put his hand in his pocket and paid for 'em without a word

There's plenty more where that came from he says pulling out a handful o' money

Peter Collins looked at it 'ardly able to speak It's worth while being shot to 'ave all that money he says at last

Don't you worry yourself Peter says Bob Pretty There's plenty more of us as'll be glad to shoot them gentlemen Bill's finished The Hall is finished Bill's the first but he won't be the last—not by a long chalk

They're more careful now" says Daddy Weed the tailor

All right 'Ave it your own way says Bob nasty like I don't know much about shooting 'em only I'm a poor man All I know is I shouldn't like to get hung for them I'm too fond o' my wife and family'

Then went 'e no more shot says Sam Jones

'We're too careful says Peter Gubbins

Bob Pretty don't know everything as Daddy Weed

I'll bet you what you like there'll be some more if you shoot says Bob Pretty in a temper Now then

Own up Bill you shot Bob? says Sam Jones with a wink at the others

I can see you winking Sam Jones says Bob Pretty But I'll do more than bet Bill I'll bet I was still owing to me Now look 'ere I'll pay you sixpence a week all the time you're beating it if you promise to give me turf of wot you get if you're shot I don't say fairer than that

'Will you give me sixpence a week too' says Henery Walker jumping up

I will' says Bob and anybody else that likes And wot's more I'll pay in advance Fust sixpences now

Claybury men 've never been backward when there's been a free to be made easy and they all wanted to join Bob Pretty club 'e called it But fust of all 'is hat upon and ink and then got Smith the landlord being as 'e had to write out a paper for them to sign Henery Walker was the fust to write his name and then Sam Jones Peter Gubbins Ralph Thomson Tom Tull and Walter Bell wrote theirs Bob stopped 'em then, and said six 'ud be enough to go on with and 'e 'ad paid up the sixpences and washed em fust

Wot they 'ad almost as well as the sixpences was the idea o' getting the better o' Bob Pretty As fast as he was paid he was put out and that until that up to that time nobody 'ad ever got the better of 'im

They made so much fun of him the next night that Bob turned nasty and went off 'ome and for two or three nights he hardly showed his face and the next shoot they 'ad he went off to Wickham and nobody saw him all day That very day Henery Walker was shot Several gentlemen fired at a rabbit that was started, and the next thing they knew Henery Walker was lying on the ground and calling out that 'is leg 'ad been bit off

The fust Bill Pretty 'eard of it was up at the Cauliflower 'e 'ad body that evening and he sat down as 'eard and set off to see Henery as fast as his legs could carry 'im Henery was asleep when he got there and do all he could Bill Pretty couldn't wake 'im till he sat down gentle on 'is bad leg

I quite forgot you was on my club till Smith reminded me of it' says Bob Don't you 'ave anything less than £10 Henery

Henery Walker shut his eyes again 'I forgot to tell you I made up my mind this morning not to belong to your club any more Bob' he says

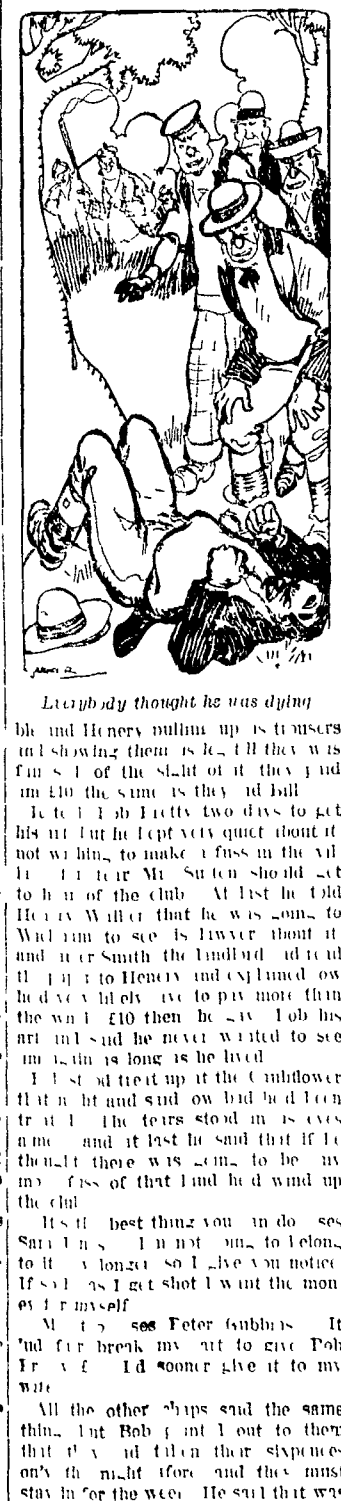
Why didn't you come and tell me Henery instead of leaving it till it was too late' says Bob shaking his head at 'im

I shall want all that money" says Henery in a weak voice I might 'ave to have a wooden leg Bob

'Don't meet troubles any way Henery says Bob in a kind voice I don't doubt Mr Sutton 'll throw in a wooden leg if you want it and foot here if he does I won't trouble you for my turf of it'

He said good night to Henery and went off and when Mrs Walker went up to see how Henery was getting on he was carrying on that alarming that she couldn't do nothing with 'im

He was laid up for over a week though its my opinion he wasn't much hurt and the trouble was that nobody knew which gentleman had shot 'im Mr Sutton talked it over with them and at last arter a good deal o' thought



Everybody thought he was dying

he and Henery pulling up his trousers and showing them his leg till they was fair sick of the sight of it they paid 'im £10 the same as they 'ad Bill

It took Bob Pretty two days to get his hat but he kept very quiet about it not wishing to make a fuss in the village for fear Mr Sutton should get to hear of the club At last he told Henery Walker that he was going to Wickham to see 'is lawyer about it and after Smith the landlord had explained to Henery and explained how he'd very likely 'ave to pay more than the club £10 then he saw Bob has hat and said he never wanted to see him again as long as he lived

I left old Peter up at the Cauliflower that night and said ow bad he'd been treated The tears stood in his eyes at last he said that if he thought there was going to be any more fuss of that kind he'd wind up the club

It's all best thing you can do says Sam Jones I'm not going to belong to it no longer so I give you notice If so be as I get shot I want the money for myself

Me too says Peter Gubbins It 'ud fair break my 'eart to give Bob Pretty a penny Id sooner give it to my wife

All the other chaps said the same thing but Bob pointed out to them that they 'ad taken their sixpences on'y the night afore and they must stay in for the week He said that was the law Some of 'em talked about giving 'im 'is sixpences back but Bob said if they did they must pay up all the sixpences they had paid for the three weeks The end of it was they stayed they'd stay in for that week and not a moment longer

The next day Sam Jones and Peter Gubbins altered their mind Sam found a couple o' shillings that his wife 'ad hidden in her Sunday bonnet and Peter Gubbins opened his boys money box to see 'ow much there was in it They came up to the Cauliflower to pay Bob their sixpences but he wasn't there and when they went to his house Mrs Pretty said as how he'd gone off to Wickham and wouldn't be back till Saturday So they 'ad to spend the money on beer instead

It all was on Tuesday and things went on all right till Friday when Mr Sutton 'ad another shoot The birds was getting scarce and the gentlemen that anxious to shoot them there was no holding them Once or twice the keepers spoke to 'em about carelessness and still wot with one families they'd got but it wasn't much good They went on blazing away just at the corner of the wood Sam Jones and Peter Gubbins was both hit—Sam in the leg and Peter in the arm

The noise that was made was awful—everybody shouting that they didn't done it and all speaking at once and Mr Sutton was dancing about almost beside himself with rage

There seems to be wounded men calling out all over the place he says in a temper

I think there is another one over there sir says one o' the keepers pointing

Sam Jones and Peter Gubbins both left off to listen and then they all heard it distinctly

A dreadful noise it was and when Mr Sutton and one or two more followed it up they found poor Walter Bell lying on his face in a bramble

Wot's the matter?' says Mr Sutton shouting at 'im

'I've been shot from behind' says Walter 'I'd got something in my boot and I was just stooping to fasten it up again when I got it'

But there oughtn't to be anybody 'ere' says Mr Sutton to one of the keepers

They got all over the place sir says the keeper scratching his head 'I fancied I 'eard a gun go off here a minute or two arter the others was shot

I believe he's done it himself says Mr Sutton stamping his foot

I don't see 'ow he could sir" says the keeper touching his cap and looking at Walter as was still lying with 'is face on 'is arms

Of course there was a terrible to do about it in Claybury and up at the Hall too All of the gentlemen said as 'ow they hadn't done it and Mr Sutton was nigh crazy with rage He said that they 'ad made an the laughingstock of the neighborhood and that they oughtn't to shoot with anything but popguns

There was a lot of talk up at the Cauliflower too and more than one pointed out how lucky Bob Pretty was in getting four men out of the six in his club As I said afore Bob was away at the time but he came back the next night and we 'ad the biggest row here you would wish for to see

Henery Walker began it I s'pose you've 'eard the dreadful news Bob Pretty he says looming at 'im

I 've says Bob and my 'art bled for 'em I told you wot those gentlemen was like didn't I' But none of you would believe me Now you can see as I was right

'It's very strange' says Henery Walker looking round it's very strange that all of us wots been shot belonged to Bob Pretty's precious club

'It's my luck Henery says Bob 'I always was lucky from a child

And I s'pose you think you're going to 'ave 'alf of the money they get' says Henery Waller

'Don't talk about money while them poor chaps is suffering says Bob I'm surprised at you Henery

'You won't 'ave a farthing of it' says Henery Waller and wot's more Bob Pretty I'm going to 'ave my £5 back

Don't you believe it Henery" says Bob smiling at 'im

I'm going to 'ave my £5 back says Henery and you know why I know wot your club was for now and we was all a pack o' silly fools not to see it afore

Speak for yourself Henery' says John Biggs who thought Henery was looking at 'im

I've been putting two and two together says Henery looking round and it's plain as the nose on your face Bob Pretty laid up in the wood and shot us all himself

For a moment you might 'ave heard a pin drop and then there was such a noise nobody could hear themselves speak Everybody was shouting his hardest and the only quiet one there was Bob Pretty himself

Poor Henery He's gone mad" he says shaking his head

You're a murderer' says Ralph Thomson shaking his fist at him

'Henery Walker's gone mad says Bob Pretty in Why I 'ant been near the place There's a dozen men will swear that I was at Wickham each time these misfortunate accidents happened

'Men like you they'd swear anything for a pot o' beer says Henery But I'm not going to waste time talking to you Bob Pretty I'm going straight off to tell Mr Sutton

I shouldn't do that if I was you Henery says Bob

I dessay' says Henery Walker 'but then you see I am

'I thought you'd gone mad Henery says Bob taking a drink o' beer that somebody 'ad left on the table in front and now I'm sure of it Why if you tell Mr Sutton that it was his friends that shot them poor fellers he won't pay them anything That fetches he would is it?'

Henery Walker got a bit sad and

A Number of Guests Enjoy Entertainment

MRS JOHN BRITCH HOSTESS TO SOCI

Ladies Aid Society of the Refo Church Holds a Meeting—Fi Church Women Meet at of Mrs Thomas Wyatt—V News of the Past Week

Waldo Nov 26—[Special] Schools united, Wednesday noon in appropriate Thanksgiving exercises A number of v were present School closed Monday

The Reformed church Ladies society met Wednesday afternoon the home of Mrs John Britch, of town for a very enjoyable so

The M E church women we entertained Wednesday afternoo Mrs Thomas Wyatt

Mr and Mrs Monnette and dren visited Thursday with fr at Galion

Mr and Mrs O S Anthony tertained Mr and Mrs Henry V of Bay City Michigan Fred von of Toledo and Ira Oswa Prospect Sunday

Mr and Mrs Cleveland Bake family of Orville were guest Sunday of Mr and Mrs Irwin

Mr and Mrs David Bower daughter spent Thanksgiving Mr Bowers father at Carruth

William Gobler was in Col Thursday

Mr and Mrs Calvin Higgin children of Oklahoma are this week of Mr and Mrs Michels

C F Morris spent Thanks with friends in Columbus

Mr and Mrs H Owens, of were Waldo visitors Sat They were accompanied hom Mrs Clarence Russel and Horace who will visit the week at Delaware and Mt Gil

D W Benedict was a Del visitor Thursday

Mr and Mrs John Brundige guests of Columbus friends giving

Mr and Mrs Roy Smith daughter visited friends in Saturday and Sunday

Harry Coleman of Marion his mother Sunday

Miss Flora Denzer visited in Marion Saturday

Miss Mary Bland visited days this week with friends tion and La Rue

A son was born to Mr an Pearl Akron, Tuesday

Mr and Mrs A D Wells a spent the latter part of the with friends at Ostrander

Miss Florence Abbott went Galion Wednesday to spend T giving with his wife and son home of his parents

Mrs A P Corbin Misses Alma and Ruth Corbin of Col were guests of Mr and Mrs Benedict from Thursday unt day

Mrs C Knickle and daugh tertained at dinner, Th Miss Spray and Glee McW Miss Grace Queen and Asa

Miss Bertha Augustine Thanksgiving with friends tion

GERMAN COLONY IN LONE STAR S

Foreign Companies Carry Ou in South

German and British spinn putting into execution their buy land and raise cotton f The sale of several tracts of l gregating nearly 250 000 southwest Texas to a Berlin to the disclosure that German lish spinners are the actual pu and that they plan to buy m upon which to grow cotton agents hold options on sever sand acres all in Frio, Lasall Duval and McMullen counties

Plans have been perfected onizing German cotton growe lace to sell their crops to neirs direct

The spinners contend that th will get a better average price product season by season th present conditions The deta plan are not announced but with the spinners will hold on land to insure th them of all cotton grown on

The first colony of about 300 families will settle on the la Jan 1 The price of the lan from $2 to $20 in acre

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The opening of another partment store, has bee universales in Mexico City ported by the Mexican Herald of the finishing material of six story building also th cases came from France, kitchen is equipped with American range

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In British Columbia pla found in many of the allu workings which it can be a by product The saving small way is however atten so much trouble that it has neglected and no appreci duction made recently

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DEAD OR ALIVE, ALL MUST BURN

Bereaved Women Pray In Vain For Bodies of Husbands.

BELIEVE SOME BURIED ALIVE

Sealed Shaft at Cherry, Ill., Is Closely Guarded by State Troops to Prevent Threatened Attack From Frenzied Miners — Announcement Is Made That Mine Will Be Closed For Three Months and New Shaft May Be Opened.

Cherry, Ill., Nov. 26.—Heartrending scenes were enacted at the mouth of the now sealed St. Paul mine. With fatherless children clinging to their dresses, hundreds of grief-stricken women gathered in groups about the shaft of the ill-fated mine, sobbing and moaning. Their sacred dead are lost forever. The realization of the horrible end of the great disaster has aroused a frantic grief. Women fell on their knees, dragging their children with them, sobbing out their cries of despair.

Many in Cherry still cling to the belief that with the sealing of the mine living men among the nearly 200 still missing have been doomed to death. Mine experts scout the idea and say that such is an impossibility. "Nothing can be done until the fire has died out and the extreme danger of entering the shaft is eliminated," declared W. W. Taylor, superintendent of the mine. The dissatisfaction of the miners at the step taken by the mine owners was openly voiced. "They are thinking only of saving property and don't care for the dead," exclaimed one gray-haired miner. "We want our dead. The women want the bodies. The company will never get any service from these miners."

Saloons Ordered to Open.

The 19 saloons which are scattered about the town of Cherry were flung wide open. The mine officials requested this, and Mayor Connelly put it into effect to test the temper of the mining population regarding the sealing of the shaft. Captain Hall sent a detachment of troops under command of a corporal about the town to guard against any turbulence. The shaft, sealed by steel cross-beams and a concrete layer and covered with sand, was closely guarded by the state militia.

Richard Newsom, chief mine inspector for Illinois, sent the following telegram to Governor Deneen: "The St. Paul mine here has been sealed. We were forced to do it. Everything is quiet."

Rumors which were started by remarks of miners who lingered about the shaft had it that there existed a plot to "rush the mine and destroy the sealing." The company officials scouted the idea and declared that they did not expect trouble.

"There is some dissatisfaction, I admit," declared Superintendent Taylor, "but we have no fear of trouble. We have been told that the dissatisfaction has been voiced, but we do not place any stock in it.'

It was declared that the mine would be sealed for at least three months, until the dangerous fire is smothered. Despite this, it was said on good authority that the mine shaft was to be permanently sealed and another shaft opened.

MINERS BURIED ALIVE

Japan Reports 15 Dead and 228 Entombed In Shaft.

Tokyo, Nov. 26.—Heavy loss of life is feared as the result of an explosion in a coal mine at Onoura, Fukucka province. Fifteen men are known to have perished, while 228 miners are entombed in the workings.

Speeding Autoist Killed.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Nov. 26.—Orrin W. Watson, 31, was killed in an automobile accident here. Watson's family live in Hawkinsville, Ga. With Louis Boore, Watson was speeding a new automobile up Tenth street. Another automobile came rapidly down a cross street, and to avoid collision Watson turned quickly. The steering gear gave way and the machine smashed into a telegraph pole. Watson died in a few minutes. Boore will recover.

Machinists' Strike Averted.

Bloomington, Ill., Nov. 26.—A settlement, following negotiations lasting several months, averted the threatened strike of machinists of the Chicago & Alton system. All the employes are to receive an increase in pay of 2 cents an hour and a working day of nine hours.

Pie Story a Hoax.

Washington, Nov. 26.—The story of the monster mince pie prepared by New York bakers for President Taft's Thanksgiving dinner turns out to have been a hoax, as no pastry answering its description turned up at the White House.

Porto Rican Cable Repaired.

San Juan, P. R., Nov. 26.—Cable communication has been resumed between Porto Rico and the outside world after having been interrupted for nearly two weeks.

DOINGS IN OHIO

Live News Form All Parts of the Buckeye State.

Columbus, O., Nov. 26.—Donald C. Abbott, former bookkeeper at the New First National bank, whose disappearance two weeks ago was followed by the announcement that he had embezzled $1,642, was brought to his home in Columbus by members of his family from Springfield, where he waived examination before United States Commissioner Rockel and was held to the federal grand jury. Abbott refused to tell where he had been or whether he had been promised immunity.

Boy Hunter Kills Father.

Wooster, O., Nov. 26.—Cyrenus Geiselman, 50, retired traveling salesman, living on a farm near Burton City, Wayne county, was killed by his son Donald, 17. The youth was out hunting and shot at a bird. The load struck his father in the right shoulder, causing his death in a few minutes. The dead man, who was husking corn, was back of the shock and was not seen by the boy.

Prisoner Commits Suicide.

Hamilton, O., Nov. 26.—H. Virgil Beaver, the Venice grocer and confectioner who was convicted of arson in connection with the destruction of the Hotel Ochs in August, committed suicide in the Butler county jail. Beaver secured a razor from the jail barber on the pretense that he wanted to shave. Stepping into his cell he severed his jugular vein, dying instantly.

Prominent London Citizen Dies.

Columbus, O., Nov. 26.—George W. Wilson, 69, former member of both houses of the Ohio legislature and former member of congress from the old Eleventh district, died at his home in London from gastritis. He was a warm friend of McKinley and attained the rank of captain in the civil war.

Quarterback Injured.

Springfield, O. Nov. 26.—In the Otterbein-Wittenberg game Quarterback Cole of the Wittenberg eleven was seriously injured about the head and spine. He has regained consciousness, but his physicians say it will be several days before his chances for recovery can be determined.

Murdered and Left In Field.

Columbus, O., Nov. 26.—Jimey Framantena, 24, an Italian quarryman, was found dead in a field by hunters, two miles from his place of employment, with three bullet holes in his back. A fellow worker, with whom he quarreled and with whom he disappeared Monday, can not be located.

Explains Attempted Suicide.

Columbus, O., Nov. 26.—"I was a fool," was the only explanation Harley Watrous, 27, a Columbus carpenter, would give to the police or his relatives after he had shot himself in the left side in the region of the heart, evidently with the intention of committing suicide. He will recover.

Robbers Raid Postoffice.

McArthur, O., Nov. 26.—The building at Radcliffe, this county, owned by John Culbertson and containing his general store and the postoffice, was entered by burglars. The safe was blown and money and postage stamps amounting to several hundred dollars were taken.

Farmer Killed by Train.

Toledo, O., Nov. 26.—While returning home with Thanksgiving dainties, Charles Burman, a farmer of Whiteford Center, was killed by a Toledo & Western Electric train. The flyer struck Burman's wagon, hurling him 30 feet into the air.

Fatally Injured by Car.

Delaware, O., Nov. 26.—While W. H. Irwin, a dairyman of Stratford, was endeavoring to pull his wife across the C., D. & M. tracks, the couple were run down by a southbound freight car and suffered probably fatal injuries.

Lad's Head Blown Off.

Canton, O., Nov. 26.—Clarence Hines, 17, was instantly killed while hunting, near Waco. He was climbing a fence when his gun was discharged, the contents blowing off his head.

DISCOVERS NEW MICROBE

Professor Metchnikoff Calls His Latest Find Proteus.

London, Nov. 26. — It is reported from Paris that Professor Metchnikoff of the Pasteur Institute has discovered the microbe of gastro-enteritis, and has named it Proteus. It is found in immense numbers on the outer skin of fruit and vegetables, in butter and upon the rind of most cheese. It can exist upon the human skin.

Bryce to Be Replaced.

Madrid, Nov. 26.—It is stated in diplomatic circles that Sir Mourice William Ernest de Bulsin, the British ambasador here, will shortly succeed the Right Hon. James Bryce as ambassador to the United States.

Three Trainmen Killed.

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 26. — Three trainmen were killed and two fatally injured when a helper engine crashed into Great Northern passenger train No. 4, near Lind, Wash. The passengers escaped.

Alleged Bomb Throwers Acquitted.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—Vincent and Joseph Altman, accused bomb throwers, were found not guilty by a jury in Judge Tuthill's court.

RAPS HARD AT SUFFRAGETTES

Dr. Parkhurst Discusses Recent New York Gathering.

REMARKS BECOME PERSONAL

Coins Term "Tandem Polygamy" to Describe Certain Leaders of Movement Whose Matrimonial Tribulations Have Brought Them Into Prominence—Hopes That Agitators Do Not Put Purely Animal Interpretation on Sex Relationship.

New York, Nov. 26.—Woman suffrage was the theme discused by Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst in a sermon at the Madison Square Presbyterian church. He took for his text the verse from Genesis:

"So God created man in His own image; in the image of God created He him, male and female created He them."

Dr. Parkhurst asked: "Why was it that 'God created men male and female?' Are we to think that it is simply a physiological contrivance for the production of population? Are those who stand at the front of this movement prepared to put upon the relation between the sexes a merely animal interpretation?

"Perhaps they do not think that. It is hoped that they do not. But what do they think? Is it asking too much of these dear sisters of ours, who are sometimes a good deal up in the air, to come down to the prosaic level of distinct and coherent thought and tell us in words that have in them neither rhapsody nor vituperation and that the male mind can keep up with, just why there are two sexes?

"Biologists tell us that the higher we go in the scale of animal life, the more the respective functions of the two sexes become differentiated—more and more widely separated from each other in their quality, aptitude and mission. From which we have to conclude that the finer the type of human civilization the more widely apart man and woman will become in all that relates to the ingredients of their personality, and therefore their interests and their respective spheres of service.

Refers to Carnegie Hall Meeting.

"What may have individually transpired between ladies in the recent Carnegie hall audience and members of the other sex that rendered them so cheerfully responsive to reflections and inuendos inflicted on members of that other sex I do not know, of course. I do know that there was one woman conspicuously present on the platform who had herself changed husbands, so I suppose there must have been something in her case that might give point to her objurgations. Yes, and there was another one there, too, prominently connected with the movement—I mean the eruption—that also belonged to the migratory sphere.

"I do not mean at all that this agitation is in the interests of what might be called 'tandem polygamy', but our ladies, with the delicacy with which they are supposed to be possessed and with which as a rule they certainly are possessed, should be made thoughtful by facts of that kind and should be assured that the underlying spirit of any revolution is likely to be more or less accurately represented in the personal equality of the leaders of that revolution."

MONEY TALKS, SAYS PUG

Sam Langford Posts $10,000 For Battle With Johnson.

New York, Nov. 26.—Sam Langford has called Jack Johnson's bluff in a way that places the latter in a rather embarrassing predicament. Ten thousand dollars in cash is Langford's argument that he can whip Johnson in a fight anywhere from 20 to 45 rounds, and the sum, as a forfeit and side bet, has been posted with a Pittsburg stakeholder.

In a direct challenge to Johnson, Langford, through his manager, Joseph Woodman, says he is ready to fight at any time agreeable to the heavyweight champion, and that any club offering a fair purse can get the match.

Pole Too Much For Gotch.

Buffalo, Nov. 26.—Zbysco, the Polish champion, won a handicap match from Frank Gotch, the world's wrestling champion. Gotch, who undertook to throw the Polish giant twice in an hour or surrender the match, failed to gain a single fall. For the first 20 minutes Gotch tried to land the Pole with his famous toe hold, but the Pole broke it with such apparent ease that Gotch abandoned these tactics and tried for a hammer.

Gage Marries Young Widow.

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 26.—Lyman J. Gage, former secretary of the treasury, was married to Mrs. Ada Ballou, daughter of George M. Ballou. Mr. Gage is 73 and his bride is a widow of 35.

Twenty Hurt In Explosion.

Joplin, Mo., Nov. 26.—Twenty persons were hurt, one fatally, when gas exploded following a fire in a steam laundry here.

MRS. ROOSEVELT RETURNS

Collector Loeb Foils Photographers by Use of Umbrella.

New York, Nov. 26.—Among the passengers on the North German Lloyd liner Konig Albert, in from Mediterranean ports, was Mrs. Edith Kermit Carew Roosevelt, wife of Theodore Roosevelt, former president of the United States. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Ethel.

William Loeb, who was once secretary to Colonel Roosevelt, went down the bay on a revenue cutter and came up from quarantine with Mrs. Roosevelt, who did not leave her cabin until the liner had docked and the gangplank had been put up. It was sleeting, and in escorting Mrs. Roosevelt down to the pier on the unprotected part of the gangplank Mr. Loeb hoisted his umbrella. When he spied several photographers trying to get a picture of Mrs. Roosevelt, Mr. Loeb used his umbrella as a shield, manipulating it so deftly that camera men were able to show nothing but negatives portraying a large and shining umbrella.

WILL NEVER COME BACK

Evelyn Thaw Visits Husband and Leaves In Bad Humor.

Matteawan, N. Y., Nov. 26.—Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, accompanied by her brother, Howard T. Nesbit, paid a visit to the former's husband, Harry K. Thaw, in the asylum for the criminal insane. The two talked for some time and in the midst of their talk Mrs. Mary Thaw and her maid arrived, laden with the usual bundles of good things for Harry.

The three engaged in an earnest talk for about half an hour. Its result was apparently very unsatisfactory to Evelyn, for at its conclusion she arose from her chair in anger and said, "I shall never come to see you again."

She left the asylum immediately and was driven to the station. During her stay in town Evelyn visited a certain hotel and inquired of its proprietor: "Have I ever committed any improper actions in your hotel?" The answer was in the negative.

TAKE FATAL LEAPS

Two Chicago Citizens Commit Suicide In Same Manner.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—Two Chicagoans met death by leaping from windows high above the ground while out of their senses, one from illness, the other from dementia. The first victim was William F. McCormick, a student at Moody Bible Institute, who jumped from a third-story window while supposedly demented. He struck the cement sidewalk and was crushed, dying at Passavant hospital soon after.

James Quinby, a victim of pneumonia, leaped from a fourth-story window of the county hospital while delirious and broke his back, dying a few minutes later.

Young Johnson's Condition Critical.

New York, Nov. 26.—Loftin E. Johnson, son of Mayor Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland, who was operated on for appendicitis in Miss Alston's private hospital Wednesday night, shows no material change. The physicians recognize that his condition is critical. Mrs. Tom Johnson reached New York from Cleveland and will remain with her son.

Spaniards Renew Operations.

Madrid, Nov. 26. — The Spaniards have resumed their campaign against the Riff tribesmen, owing, it is reported, to the collapse of the negotiations with the tribesmen. Troops have left Melilla for Nador.

Six Killed In Collision.

Los Angeles, Nov. 26.—Six persons, father, mother and four children, were killed when a car on the Los Angeles & Long Beach trolley line ran into an automobile.

LIVE STOCK AND GRAIN

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle: Export cattle, $6 25@7 60; shipping steers, $5 40@6 25; butcher cattle, $5 40@6 50; heifers, $5 00@5 25; cows, $3 90@4 75; bulls, $3 50@4 50; milkers and springers, $25 00@65 00. Calves—$9 50@10 25. Sheep and Lambs—Mixed sheep, $4 75@5 00; wethers, $5 00@5 25; ewes, $4 50@5 00; lambs, $6 25@7 65; yearlings, $5 50@6 00. Hogs—Heavies, $8 25@8 30; mediums, $8 20@8 25; Yorkers, $8 00@8 15; pigs, $7 50@8 00; roughs, $7 25@7 50; stags, $6 50@7 00.

CHICAGO—Cattle: Beeves, $4 00@9 15; cows, $2 10@5 65; heifers, $2 10@5 65; western steers, $4 00@7 40; stockers and feeders, $3 10@5 20. Calves—$6 25@8 75. Sheep and Lambs—Native sheep, $2 75@4 90; western, $2 90@4 90; native lambs, $4 75@7 40; western, $4 75@7 30; yearlings, $5 25@6 10. Hogs—Light, $7 60@8 05; mixed, $7 65@8 15; heavy, $7 70@8 20; rough, $7 70@7 90; pigs, $6 40@7 65. Wheat—No. 2 red, $1 12@1 23. Corn—No. 2, 63½@63¾c. Oats—No. 2, 42c.

PITTSBURG—Cattle: Choice, $6 50@7 00; prime, $6 20@6 50; tidy butchers, $5 20@5 70; heifers, $3 00@5 00; cows, bulls and stags, $2 00@4 50; fresh cows, $25 00@55 00. Calves—Veal, $6 00@9 25. Sheep and Lambs—Prime wethers, $4 80@5 00; good mixed, $4 40@4 75; lambs, $5 10@7 50; yearlings, $4 00@5 75. Hogs—Prime heavy hogs, $8 30@8 35; mediums, $8 25@8 27½; heavy Yorkers, $8 10@8 20; light Yorkers, $7 50@8 00 pigs, $7 75@7 85.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Prime dry-fed cattle, $6 25@6 50; fat steers, $6 00@6 25; heifers, $4 00@5 50; cows, $2 25@3 50; bulls, $3 00@4 00, milkers and springers $25 00@55 00. Calves—$8 50 down. Sheep and Lambs—Wethers, $4 75@5 00; ewes, $4 50; lambs, $7 00@7 40. Hogs—Heavies and mediums, $8 15; mixed, $8 05@8 10, Yorkers, $8 00@8 05; pigs, $7 80; roughs, $7 25@7 40; stags, $6 75.

CINCINNATI—Wheat: No. 2 red, $1 23@1 26. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 59@59½c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 41½@42c. Rye—No. 2, 77½@78c. Lard—$12 90. Bulk Meats—$12 00. Bacon—$12 75. Cattle—$4 75@6 50. Sheep—$2 00@4 50. Lambs—$4 00@7 00. Hogs—$7 75@8 25.

TOLEDO—Wheat, $1 20¾; corn, 63½c; oats, 42½c; rye, 76½c; cloverseed, $6 55.

CHRISTY LAUGHS AT WIFE'S TALE

Denies That Christian Scientists Started Trouble.

RETURNS TO ZANESVILLE HOME

Admits Having Been "Rounder," but Has Abandoned Drinking Habit and Is Not Afraid to Face Any Charges Model For His "American Girl" May Bring Against Him In Suit to Gain Possession of Their Daughter Natalie.

Columbus, O., Nov. 26. — A great big "but" figures in the statement of Howard Chandler Christy, the artist, issued in this city, and the story of their marital troubles as related to a New York reporter by his wife. Each claims that they might be living happily together, "but"—and each has engaged an attorney to represent their interests in the threatened divorce proceedings. Christy was in Columbus a few hours waiting for a train to Zanesville.

Mr. Christy while here said his wife, Mrs. May Belle Christy, model for his famous "American Girl," was mistaken when she stated in an interview in New York that Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson, deposed Christian Scientist, had broken up their household with her teachings.

Blames Mrs. Stetson.

Mrs. Christy in New York said: "Mrs. Stetson and her practitioners have taught my husband that marriage is wrong; that there is nothing sacred in it. He lost all sympathy and feeling for me, and is no longer the man he was when I married him."

Mr. Christy in Columbus said his wife's talk was "bosh;" that the Christian Scientists had nothing to do with his family troubles and that he was going to his home in Zanesville to fight to the finish the habeas corpus proceeding filed by his wife to obtain the custody of their 10-year-old daughter Natalie.

When told that his wife had threatened to tell "things" unless her marital troubles were untangled, Christy replied: "Everyone in Ohio knows I have been a rounder, but I have stopped that sort of life. I haven't drank intoxicants for 21 months and I am not afraid of anything that my wife may tell about me. Mrs. Christy says Natalie is not happy with me. That is untrue. She is being educated, wears good clothing and is perfectly satisfied with me."

"DAY OF PROTEST" PLANNED

Chicago Woman Wants Unionists to Strike When Gompers Goes to Jail.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—If the plans of Mrs. Raymond Robins, president of the National Woman's Trade Union league, can be carried out, on the day that Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison go to jail for contempt of court 1,500,000 organized men and women affiliated with the American Federation of Labor will cease work and raise their voices in protest.

On her return from the recent convention of the American Federation of Labor at Toronto, Mrs. Robins began her campaign for a "day of protest," which, in effect, will be a general strike for one day. At a meeting of the executive board of the Chicago Women's Trade Union league Mrs. Robins laid her plans before her colleagues and found a ready response. Later prominent officials of labor organizations indorsed the idea, and will work to bring about its accomplishment.

COAL OPERATORS PROTEST

Say Steel Men Are Favored In Matter of Freight Rates.

Pittsburg, Nov. 26.—The Pittsburg Coal Operators' association announces that it has sent some figures to the Interstate commerce commission and to President Taft backing up their demand that railroads be compelled to give them not only more cars, but better rates. These figures show that while steel men get ores hauled from the lakes for 53 cents a ton, the Pittsburg coal shippers must pay from 89 cents to $1.03 for each ton of coal hauled to the lakes over the same route.

Boy Hunters Drowned.

Hyannis, Mass., Nov. 26.—Llewellyn Wright, 15, and Robert Doteridge of Cotuit, 16, were drowned while on a gunning expedition. The boys left Cotuit in a flat-bottom skiff. When a mile from shore the raft was capsized. A fisherman picked up the boat and, upon righting it, found the body of Wright underneath it.

Astor Entertains Governor.

San Juan, P. R., Nov. 26.—Colonel John Jacob Astor, who arrived here early last week on his yacht Nourmahal has entertained Governor Colton and others aboard the yacht, and several banquets in his honor have been given ashore.

Former Congressman Dies.

Detroit, Nov. 26.—Captain Edward P. Allen, former member of congress from Michigan, died here from a stroke of apoplexy.

INSURGENTS SOUND TAFT

Want to Know Where He Stands In Cannon Fight.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Republican insurgents who are arriving in Washington want to know just as soon as possible what position President Taft intends to assume toward the contest to be waged this winter on the leadership of Senator Aldrich and Speaker Cannon. The house insurgents are determined, apparently, to continue the fight on Mr. Cannon, while Senators Cummins of Iowa, LaFollette of Wisconsin and Bristow of Kansas declare that in the senate the old leadership will be kept on the run.

President Taft's attitude toward house and senate insurgents is represented to be substantially as follows: The president will not interfere unless the tactics of the insurgents menace the legislative program which he will submit to congress next month. In his message he will recommend changes in the interstate commerce law and the Sherman anti-trust act, as well as the passage of a bill making appropriations to encourage the upbuilding of the American merchant marine.

ZELAYA MAINTAINS STRICT CENSORSHIP

Conditions In Nicaragua Described In Smuggled Letters.

Panama, Nov. 26.—Letters written at Managua and smuggled on board the steamer at Corinto have arrived here. The letters state that the situation at Managua is chaotic beyond description. President Zelaya has surrounded himself with a strong guard of picked loyalists, and the presidential palace is a fortress. Martial law is enforced with a rigorous hand, and all shops are closed at sunset. Crowds that gather on the streets are dispersed with bayonets.

Hundreds of men suspected of sympathizing with the revolutionists have been arrested and thrown into prison. The jails are overflowing with many prisoners being guarded in other buildings. It is impossible to communicate with the outside world from Managua, either by mail or telegraph, except by permission of the government, and lately that permission has not been given to anyone.

All mail deposited in the Managua postoffice is opened and inspected by the government, and as a rule confiscated. No foreign newspapers are allowed to enter the country, and all copies that fall into the hands of Zelaya's officials are burned. The telegraph office is under the complete control of Zelaya and no messages can be sent unless they have his O. K.

REVOLUTION GAINS GROUND

Commander Shipley Reports Result of His Investigations.

Washington, Nov. 26.—At the navy department dispatches bearing on the pending revolutionary movement in Nicaragua have been received from Commander John H. Shipley, U. S. N., commanding the Des Moines. The revolutionists, he said, were gaining strength, and the revolution was spreading. An officer from the Des Moines, he said, landed at Greytown and found only one American there. American interests were being protected. The revolutionists were in control of the country from the Atlantic coast of Nicaragua, including the town of Rama, where decisive fighting was likely to occur shortly.

The Des Moines was ordered to Greytown to ascertain the effectiveness of the blockade of that port maintained by the revolutionary forces. The blockade, Commander Shipley reported, was effective.

Senor Moreira, undersecretary of state of the provisional government, sent a telegram to the state department under date of Bluefields, Nov. 24, says that the executions of the two Americans, Leonard Groce and Leroy Cannon, were illegal, according to article 742 of the military ordinances. The department, however, will not reply to this telegram. It would be improper to communicate officially with the provisional government before it had been recognized.

Congressmen Homeward Bound.

Havana, Nov. 26.—The congressional committee which has been examining the Panama canal arrived here. All express themselves as more than pleased with the progress of the work on the canal, and say that it will be open to commerce before 1915. They sailed for the United States today.

THIS AND THAT

At Detroit, Mich., a six-months-old baby was successfully operated upon for appendicitis.

Paulhan, the French aviator, will tour the United States at a salary of $20,000 a month and expenses.

Professor Percival Lowell in his Arizona observatory claims to have discovered two new canals on the planet Mars.

At Scranton, Pa., Mrs. Adam Shenaskey and her 3-weeks-old baby were burned to a crisp in a fire which destroyed their home.

Miss Georgia Young of Pittsburg has sued James W. Corrigan of Cleveland for $50,000 for alleged breach of promise to marry her.

MISS PRINCESS RHOADS ENTERTAINS COMPANY

Miss Dale Roberts Is the Guest of Honor.

GAMES AND MUSIC OCCUPY THE EVENING

Mrs. Minnie Dugan, of Springfield, Is the Guest of Friends at Meeker. Infant Son of Mr. and Mrs. John Brunner Is Ill—Notes of the Week at the Village.

Meeker, Nov. 26.—[Special.]—Miss Princess Rhoads entertained a few of her friends at her home two miles east of Meeker, Wednesday evening, in honor of her guest, Nellie Dale Roberts of Prospect. The evening was passed with games and music, both vocal and instrumental. Refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Cecile Sprague, Gladys Davis, Lois McElvy, Gayle Hatfield and Messrs. Dale Rhoads, Ernest Mason, Carl Williams, Herbert Ford, Fred Gray and William Redding, of near Kenton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kennedy, of Marion, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Kennedy.

Mrs. Claire Burton and son, Richard, of Columbus, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Day.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Clifton, of DeCliff, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Day, Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Hoffman, went to Findlay, Friday, where she will spend Thanksgiving week with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Schultz and son, Dee, went to Marion, Monday.

Harry Peak, of Ashley, was the guest of his cousin Vernon Carter, north of town, a few days this week.

Mrs. June Sprague returned home, Saturday, after spending a week in Marion, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Murl Tonguet.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCrary and son, Willard, were Marion visitors, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lamb, of Laltue, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mac Cookston, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Judd Foos and daughter, Wilda, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Kannel, of Pleasant Hill, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Smith, south of town, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pfeiffer, Jr., and daughter, Esta, spent Saturday and Sunday at Salem.

Cecile Sprague visited Marion friends Friday and Saturday.

Miss Zelda Briggs left, Tuesday evening, for Ashland, Kentucky, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. G. Davis, over Thanksgiving.

Miss Lelah Baker was the guest of Miss Bertha Kern near Morral, Sunday,

Mrs. Minnie Dugan, of Springfield, arrived, Tuesday evening, to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Thompson.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Brunner is ill.

Class No. 2 of the Sunday-school taught by Mrs. Horace Cookston and consisting of young married ladies and families spent a most delightful social season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anson Parish, Thursday evening. Music was furnished by Miss Dora Jones, of Custar. Mrs. Alma Burnside contributed a vocal solo. The only guests outside the class were Mr. and Mrs. Grover Dodds and children and Misses Dora Jones, of Custar, and Martha Montgomery, of Agosta.

A number of relatives and neighbors gave a surprise to Mr. John Alexander, Monday, it being his seventy-fifth birthday anniversary. Those present aside from the family were Mrs. Iva Peters, of Marion; Mrs. Clare Burton and son, Richard, of Columbus; Mr. and Mrs. George Kennedy, of Marion; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hatfield, Mr. and Mrs. John Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hollis and son, Russelle, Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Day and children, Emma, Sammie and Mildred; Mrs. James Washburn and children, Helen and Robert, and Mrs. James Hatfield and children, Gayle, Neva, Ellen, Florence and Gerald.

Bess Pfeiffer was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kerr and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Letham, of Elma, Washington, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spangler for a few days.

THE PEOPLE'S COLUMN

FOR SALE—80 acres of Improved farm land one, mile south of Caledonia, known as the Strawson farm. If interested, meet the executors on farm December 4th, at 2 o'clock, or address J. Wesley Thew, Caledonia, Ohio. 294-s-4-wk-o-2

FOR SALE—One of the finest 3-year-old driving horses in Marion county. High actor and speedy. Also two 2-year-old road colts, well bred. Can be bought right. S. L. Fite, 1121 north State street, Marion, O. d&wk-1

FOR SALE—27 acres northeast of Agosta; also 26 acres southeast of Agosta. For further information call J. H. Payne, Watkins, Union county. 24-wk-9

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A BEAUTY IN LIGHT GREY with Black "Herring Bone" stripes. This $7.50 value is a much better coat than you would expect at $8.50, lined with surprisingly good lining, length of coat strikes one between knees and shoe top, velvet collar and upper outside pocket

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BURGLARS ENTER THE STORACI STORE ROOM

They Secure but Little for Their Trouble.

FELLOWS DISCOVERED BY OFFICER CRABB

Men Make Good Their Escape—A Shanty Occupied by Laborers Is Entered and a Revolver and Some Clothing Is Stolen—Notes of the Local Police Court.

Burglars entered the store room of Robert Storaci, on north State street, about 1 o'clock Thursday morning, but secured little for their trouble. Entrance to the place was gained by removing a screen and raising one of the windows on the north side of the building, which runs along Mill street.

At 1 o'clock, Merchants' Officer Crabb was walking towards State street on Mill street. The officer described the thieves as being young and fairly well dressed. Seeing the officer approaching the men took to their heels and went down the railroad track. The officer made an investigation and discovered that the fellows had been in the room.

A shanty, occupied by some foreigners who are employed by the Ohio Western Lime company, and located near the Pennsylvania railroad tracks, was entered, sometime Wednesday morning, while the laborers were at work. When the foreigners went to the shanty at the noon hour, they discovered that the place had been ransacked. Three pairs of trousers, a revolver, overcoat, suit of clothes and four or five silver watches were taken by the thief.

Although the workmen work within view of the shanty, they did not see any one around. The robbery is believed to be the work of a tramp who was probably beating his way on a Pennsylvania train. The theft was reported to the police for investigation.

If a man happens to know who wrote "Yankee Doodle" he thinks he's musical.

Women waste a lot of powder while hunting for husbands.

ARE MARRIED AT THE PRIEST'S HOME

Miss Marie B. Stuber and Mr. M. H. Gunder.

Miss Marie B. Stuber and Mr. Madison H. Gunder were married by Rev. Father James Falls, assistant priest of St. Mary's church, Wednesday morning at 6:30 o'clock.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. col. Stuber, of north Prospect street, and a young woman of charming personality. She was formerly a bookkeeper for the H Schaffner company, on south Main street, by which firm Mr Gunder is now employed as an undertaker.

The bridegroom came to Marion from Richwood several years ago. He is an exemplary young man, with a wide acquaintance in Marion and Union counties.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunder left, at 10:15 Wednesday morning, for Cincinnati. Following a honeymoon trip through the South they will make their future home in Marion.

THE GREEK FAMILY RECOVERS NICELY

Members Able To Return to Their Homes.

Mrs. Miller Greek and children have returned to their home near Newman's after being confined to the home at Mrs. E. Maloney, of north Main street, for the past six weeks by typhoid fever.

About two months ago, the husband and father, Miller Greek, died of the same disease. The entire family, consisting of his widow and five children, were ill at the time of his death. Following the funeral of Mr. Greek, the unfortunate family was removed to this city and taken to the home of Mrs. Maloney, where they have been given the best of care. All the members of the stricken family have sufficiently recovered to return to their home.

REV. FATHER FALLS ASSIGNED TO MARION

May Remain in the City as Assistant Priest.

Rev. Father James Falls, of Cincinnati, has been sent to Marion to act as assistant priest here as a result of the inability of Rev. Father Joseph Denning, following an operation, to take part in the church services. There is a probability that he may remain permanently as assistant pastor of St. Mary's church.

PLENTY OF TROUBLE FOR THE SICILIANS

Elder Tondo Arrested for Stealing Brass.

SON CONFESSES AND IS FINED FOR THEFT

Father and Sons Lose Their Jobs with the Erie—Claim They Find the Brass Along the Erie Tracks and Do Not Know They Are Violating Law by Taking Property.

E. Tendo, a Sicilian, who appeared in the court of Justice Charles E. Gompf, Tuesday afternoon, in an effort to save his father from a charge of stealing brass from the Erie Railroad company, was himself arrested and entered a plea of guilty to the theft. He paid his fine of five dollars and costs.

Tendo, with his father and two brothers, came here from Griffith, Indiana, Tuesday morning. Tendo was to take a job as second platform boss of a gang of foreigners. A car inspector saw the elder Tendo take some brass out of a huge bread basket, which he brought to Marion with him. Lieutenant John Stone was notified and an investigation revealed that the basket contained three brass journals and a brass switch lantern. Unable to give a satisfactory account of where he got the brass, the old man was promptly placed under arrest and taken to Justice Gompf's office, where an affidavit charging him with stealing the brass was filed by the Erie officer. The old man's three sons followed the officer and his prisoner to the justice's court and E. Tendo tried to convince the court that his father did not take the brass, but he told so many conflicting stories that Justice Gompf became suspicious and accused him of the crime. The fellow broke down and admitted that he had taken the brass at Griffith, Indiana, but said he had found it along the railroads and did not know he had violated any law by taking it. Asked what he expected to do with the brass, he refused to give a satisfactory answer. The affidavit against the father was withdrawn and the son was charged with the theft. He was not only fined for the offense, but lost his job with the company, as did his aged father and his two brothers.

THE CELEBRATION OF ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Hoch Host and Hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Hoch, of near Espyville, celebrated the fifty-sixth anniversary of their marriage and the seventy-sixth birthday anniversary of Mrs. Hoch at the home of their son, Frederick, Sunday. Only a small company of the relatives were present, but a pleasant time was enjoyed. Mr. Hoch, who is in his eighty-fifth year, and Mrs. Hoch are both enjoying the best of health. Mr. Hoch, who owns a large farm, rides horseback over his lands nearly every day.

Carries Cook's Records.

New York, Nov. 25.—On board the steamship, United States, of the Scandinavian line, which sailed from this port today, was Walter Lonsdale, an attache of the United States legation at Copenhagen, but who has been on leave acting as secretary to Dr. Frederick A. Cook, since the latter returned from the Far North. Lonsdale carries with him the original records brought back by Cook, and which the Brooklyn physician asserts, prove conclusively that he reached the North pole one year before Commander Robert E Peary did.

An ounce of flour equals four level tablespoonfuls.

JAMES T. YOCUM IS GRANTED A DIVORCE

Is Also Awarded Custody of His Child.

IMMORALITY AND CRUELTY CHARGED

Aaron Sharp Files an Answer in the Divorce Suit Brought by His Wife. Denies That He Neglects Plaintiff. A Partition Proceeding—Common Pleas Court Notes.

James T. Yocom, who brought an action for a divorce from Ethel E. Yocom, October 6, 1909, was given a decree and awarded the custody of their child by Judge Babst, Wednesday morning.

The Yocoms were married March 3, 1907. The plaintiff charged her with immorality and cruelty. In his petition he declared that she was frequently seen in the society of women distasteful to him, and refused to accompany him to church.

The answer and cross-petition of Oscar J. Lusch, administrator of his father, Fred J. Lusch, has been filed in the suit of John P. Probst and others against Mildred M. Scoville and others by Attorney Fred L. Carhart. He sets up a claim of $66.84.

In the alimony proceeding of Elizabeth Firstenberger against Philip Firstenberger, the defendant, through Attorneys Mouser & Moloney and Seofield & Durfee, has filed an answer in the common pleas court, setting up a general denial with regard to the amount of property owned by him. He asks that plaintiff's petition be dismissed.

In the matter of the estate of Josephus Goodnow, deceased, taken up on appeal from the probate court, Judge Daniel Babst, Wednesday, found that the exceptions of the executors of the estate to the amount allowed the attorneys by Probate Judge G H. Foster, are not well taken. The matter was heard by Judge Babst, November 3, when he ordered the stenographer to make a transcript of all the evidence. The judgment, finding and order of the probate court are sustained and the appeal dismissed at the cost of the appellant.

In the suit of Rollin Hickman against Charles Hickman and others, Judge Babst finds that the plaintiff is entitled to partition as prayed for in his petition. He finds against Frank and Charles Hickman.

In the divorce suit of Nannie Sharp against Aaron Sharp, the defendant, through Attorney H. Edmund Hill, filed an answer in the common pleas court, Wednesday. He "most emphatically denies that he ever neglected or refused to provide a home for the plaintiff" or with "wholesome food and the comforts and necessaries of life." He declares that he provided the plaintiff with a home that would tempt a woman of taste and refinement, showered her with love and affection and the "customary kindness due to a bride," but notwithstanding all these considerations she "left him within one day after their said marriage."

The defendant further denies that the plaintiff is a poor girl "inexperienced in love entanglements," and answering this allegation made by her in her petition, he says that, at the time of her marriage, she was thirty-one years old and represented to him that she held a bankable note of $700 against one of Marion county's most prominent farmers, owned some chattel property, and had had plenty of experience in love affairs.

The defendant denies that he was intoxicated at the time of his marriage and that he ever used profane language as charged by the plaintiff. He asks that her petition be dismissed.

A suit to partition 79 1-3 acres in Pleasant township, belonging to estate of the late Royal S. Fish, was filed in the common pleas court, Wednesday, by Attorneys Mouser & Moloney. Benton E. Fish, a nephew, says he is entitled to the one undivided thirty-sixth part of the land described in the petition and names Samuel A. Fish, Benjamin J. Fish, Lincoln H. Fish, John B. Fish, Eliza Cratty, Hannah Riley, Iva Honefanger, Harley Roberts, Ruby Fish, Jennie Uncapher, Samuel Riley and Royal Riley as defendants.

The decedent left no will, but disposed of the most of his property by deeds in escrow to be delivered at his death. Among these deeds was found one to Harley Roberts, a teacher in the Taft school at Watertown, Connecticut, for a farm in Marion county. Roberts is a nephew of the deceased, but on account of the fact that the envelope containing the deeds was dated in 1905 and the deed to Mr. Roberts was made in 1908, there is some question as to the deed's validity, which will be determined when the partition suit is heard in court.

Judge Daniel Babst granted Della M. Mason a divorce from William O. Mason and ten dollars a month alimony, Wednesday. He charged gross neglect and cruelty.

On the grounds of cruelty and neglect, Zoa Sycks was awarded a decree of divorce from George W. Sycks, Wednesday afternoon.

An action brought by Prosecuting Attorney Charles L. Justice on relation of the county commissioners, to compel County Auditor Charles L. Allen to certify $500 in the pike fund as directed by the commissioners, was heard by Judge Babst, Wednesday afternoon. The money involved was turned over to the county by a conscience-stricken resident, who said, in his letter to County Treasurer W. C. Wottring, he had made that much off the county in contract work when the work could have been done for less. The commissioners passed a resolution ordering the money placed in the pike fund and Auditor Allen refused to do so, because he believed the money should be placed in the general fund.

Judge Daniel Babst adjourned court, Wednesday afternoon, until Monday morning at 9 o'clock, when the suit of Schaaf against Brundige is scheduled for trial.

Receiver J. Wilbur Jacoby, of the Mirror Publishing company, has filed in the common pleas court an account, showing a balance of cash on hands amounting to $4,997.60. Of the amount collected on old accounts the sum of $503.42 was collected from accounts covered by the chattel mortgage of H. R. Snyder. The total amount of old accounts collected is $2,260.86.

The receiver has paid no costs and no allowances for attorney or receiver's fees. Judge Babst will hear the receiver's account, December 3.

A motion for a new trial in the petition suit of Rollie Hickman against Charles Hickman and others has been overruled. In his finding Judge Babst found for the plaintiff and against Frank and Charles Hickman.

A motion to secure costs has been filed by Attorneys Crissinger & Guthery in the suit of Lester F. Mahaffey, by his next best friend, William F. Mahaffey, against William J. Lindsay.

In the matter of assessment of stockholders of the Marion National bank against the Implement Manufacturing company, leave has been given H. B. Hane to withdraw his answer and cross-petition December 2, Judge Babst will hear this cause on its merits, when the amount of assessment each stockholder is to pay will be determined.

A FORMER RESIDENT DIES AT MANSFIELD

Mrs. Elder D. Lindsey Passes Away Wednesday.

RESIDES IN MARION ABOUT FORTY YEARS

Death Comes at an Extreme Age. Mrs. Lindsey Is One of the Principals in a Triple Wedding Here Many Years Ago—She Has Wide Circle of Friends in This City.

Mrs. Keziah J. Lindsey, wife of Elder D. Lindsey, died Wednesday morning of pneumonia at her home in Mansfield. Had Mrs. Lindsey lived until Thursday, she would have been eighty-nine years old as she was born in Huron county near Sandusky, November 25, 1826. Her maiden name was Keziah J. Randall. She was married to Elder D. Lindsey in this city, October 26, 1847, by the late Rev. Mr. Gurley. Four of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey were married at the same time, and of the principals of this triple wedding Mrs. Lindsey is the second one to die.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey moved from Marion to Galion in 1865, and after living there about five years, moved to Mansfield in 1870, where they have since lived. Mrs. Lindsey was a member of the Presbyterian church. She was a woman of many noble qualities. She is survived by her husband, three sons, Eugene D. Elmore, H. and Harrie W., all of Mansfield; one sister, Mrs. Martha E. Davies, of Monmouth, Illinois, and one brother, James Randall, of St. Louis.

The funeral was held Friday at the home at 1 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Raymond Huston. The body was brought to this city at 3:30 o'clock Friday afternoon and was taken directly to the Marion cemetery where interment was made.

During a period of forty years' residence in this city, Mrs. Lindsey made many friends who will be grieved to learn of her death.

THE CELEBRATION OF A MARRIAGE

Miss Novia Davis and Mr. Henry E. Wiley.

Miss Novia Auriel Davis, of Meeker, and Mr. Henry Ernest Wiley, of Morral, were united in marriage at noon, Thursday, at the home of the bride's father, DeWillis Davis, at Meeker. Rev. T. J. Carey performed the ceremony in the presence of a number of relatives and friends of the contracting parties.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley will make their future home at Meeker.

J. P. LUDWIG STORE IS OPENED TO PUBLIC

One of the Very Finest in Central Ohio.

HUNDREDS ATTEND THE BIG OPENING

Friends and Patrons Are Given Full Opportunity To Look Over the Handsome New Quarters in the New McNeal and Wolford Block. Delightful Evening for Visitors.

Hundreds of Marionites and many people from out of town attended the formal opening of the big J. P Ludwig store in the new McNeal-Wolford block, on west Center street, Wednesday night from 7:30 to 10 o'clock. It is unquestionably, as has been advertised, "one of the handsomest, most complete exclusive ready-to-wear and furnishing goods stores in Central Ohio"—a store established with the sole view of meeting the many varied needs of women and the proprietors have succeeded in their aim beyond their fondest dreams.

When the doors were swung open to the public for the first time at 7:30 o'clock a large crowd was waiting to enter. Many women went to admire the exquisite beauty of the store and to hear the pretty music.

The Ludwig store occupies the first floor and basement of the new building. All the furniture and fixtures are of mahogany. The walls are beautifully tinted. One of the store's features is its cabinet wall-cases, of the most modern design, used for displaying coats, suits, skirts and furs. These cases extend the entire length of the west wall. Another feature is found in the separate fitting and alteration rooms.

Neckwear, belts, hand bags, jewelry, toilet articles, etc., are displayed in a most admirable way in a large shelving, surrounded by plate glass cases located in the center of the store.

To the left of the entrance is to be seen the glove cabinets, with separate counters, and adjoining this department come the underwear, hosiery and corset departments. At the rear a large space is occupied by the millinery department. It is resplendent with mirrors and display cases, a feature being a French room for the fitting of hats.

The millinery department is one of the most beautiful sections of the store, containing a wealth of gorgeous pattern hats and rich garments. The hundreds who swarmed through the place looked upon an array of practically new stock that represented an expenditure of many thousands of dollars.

Every department was in charge of pleasant and expert saleswomen, but no effort was made to sell anything. The people didn't want to buy, anyhow; they just wanted to see and enjoy the beauty of it all.

With its brilliant lights, entrancing music, sweet flowers and magnificent display of merchandise, the store presented one of the most pleasing mercantile pictures one could wish to behold.

An orchestra, almost hidden behind a bower of flowers and palms, and directed by L. B. McNeal, rendered a program of ten numbers. Miss Mary Dennison Gailey, Marion's famous violiniste, contributed several selections.

"I think it is perfectly lovely," said a woman, after attending the opening. "What struck me more than anything else was the manner in which all the beautiful contents were displayed. Not a single thing was in the open where the dust could soil it. There was a glass case for everything and one could see it all to great advantage."

Each visitor was given a carnation or chrysanthemum.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE JOINED IN MARRIAGE

Miss Lucretia L. Patten and Mr. Ralph C. Stoll.

Miss Lucretia L. Patten and Mr. Ralph C Stoll were united in marriage by Rev. Father Joseph Denning at his home, on north Main street, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The wedding was followed by a dinner at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Margaret Patten, of Delaware avenue. It was attended by the immediate relatives and friends of the bride and groom.

The bride is a young woman of pleasing personality. Mr. Stoll is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey B. Stoll, of Mark street, and is a well-known young business man.

Following a honeymoon trip through the South, Mr. and Mrs. Stoll will make their future home in Marion, probably on Delaware avenue.

MARRIAGE CELEBRATED NEAR LITTLE SANDUSKY

Miss Clara Kerr and Mr. Morris T. Sanders.

Miss Clara Kerr, of Indiana, and Mr. Morris T. Sanders, of near Morral, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. William Mahlin, of near Little Sandusky, Monday evening at 8:30 o'clock, by Rev. J. F. Aultman, of Harpster.

The Warner & Edwards Co.

Diagonals and Homespuns for Ladies' Suits.

The demand for Diagonals and Homespuns is growing rapidly. The diagonal weave will be very noticeable in all spring fabrics, both wool and silk.

Three special numbers are just in from the mill. They are in the right weight for winter suits. There is but one criticism of the goods. They will never wear out.

42 in. wide Wale Diagonals in the plain shades..... $1.00

50-in. Diagonals, a very firm cloth. Gray only..... $1.25

50-in. Homespun in the new blues and old rose. You will see this material in the fifty dollar suits, in the ready made department.... $1.50

The Warner & Edwards Company.

Christmas

— but 25 shopping days ahead.

This store is ready to serve you.

Nelson & Sons

LITTLE MISS HOY HAS VERY NARROW ESCAP

Is Struck by a Big Four Train Center Street.

FAILS TO NOTICE APPROACH OF TRAI

Is Reading School-Book When Ru Down—Child Is Thrown to Side Track and Is Cared for by W nesses and Trainmen—She Suffe Shock and Severe Bruises.

When enroute to her home Clinton street from the Davids Stre school-building, Wednesday afte noon, Ethel, seven-year-old daught of Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Hoy, w struck by westbound Big Four pa senger train, No. 27, due here 3.30, at the Center street crossi in the Rosewood addition, l escaped serious injuries.

The little girl was reading one her school-books and did not not the train, which had just rounded curve and was going at the rate about five miles an hour.

Clement V. White, a mason, res ing on Latourette street, saw the cident. "She was ten feet from t track when I first saw her," said White to a reporter for the St "She had her fascinator in one ha and a book in the other. I thou she would stop, but she didn't, a the cowcatcher picked her up a threw her on the west side of track. That was the same side I v on. I ran and picked her up. was dazed by being struck."

A call was sent in for the Hess Markert ambulance and for Dr. Rhu. Dr. C. G. Smith, whose of is in the West End, was also notifi He was the first to arrive at the H home, a short distance from crossing, and found the little girl s fering from shock and sev bruises. No bones were broken. T child said she had never lost c sciousness.

The passenger train was brou to a standstill a short distance yond the crossing and the trainm assisted in carrying the child hon

When some people do tell truth they exaggerate it.

A Wonderful Waist Purchase

of over 500 on sale Saturday and Monday at just Half regular Prices.

What an opportunity! Think of it—Saturday and Monday you may choose a waist from a lot of the finest of new Fall models and take it at just half the regular price.

An overstocked waist manufacturer who knew of our ability to make big purchases offered us his surplus line of over 500 waists—provided we took the entire lot—at just 50c on the dollar. Could we resist? Well, hardly—and as a result we offer them to you tomorrow the same way—all piled on a center table on second floor—at exactly half their regular prices.

Included in the lot you'll find the finest and newest Fall styles of chiffon, net, messaline, lingerie, linens and taffetas and the best feature of all is the fact that at least 60 per cent. of them are black. In fact, ladies, without a doubt, this is one of the greatest and best waist sales this big store ever had. Note these prices:

$4.00 Waists now priced at $2.00.	$5.00 Waists now priced at $2.50.
$6.00 Waists now priced at $3.00.	$7.50 Waists now priced at $3.75.
$9.00 Waists now priced at $4.50.	$10.00 Waists now priced at $5.00.
$12.50 Waists now priced at $6.25.	$15.00 Waists now priced at $7.50.

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BODY BLOW TO THE STANDARD

Given by Federal Circuit Court at St. Louis.

GOVERNMENT WINS OUT IN ITS SUIT

To Dissolve Standard Oil Company of New Jersey.

The Court Finds That the Standard of New Jersey, the Individual Defendants and the Subsidiary Companies Enter into a Combination in Restraint of Trade as Declared Illegal by Sherman Law.

St Louis, Mo, Nov 20—The government is winner in the suit to dissolve the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey In a decision handed down from the bench of the United States circuit court here today by Judge Elmer B Adams, the big oil trust received a body blow The decision is sweeping, the government being sustained on nearly every point

The only exceptions are made in favor of some of the minor subsidiary companies named as defendants These it is held, are not clearly shown to be dominated by the trust

The orders of the court in regard to the Standard do not take effect for thirty days

The court finds that the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, the individual defendants, and the subsidiary companies engaged in commerce in petroleum or its products among the several states or with foreign nations and controlled by the principal company, have entered into a combination or conspiracy in restraint of trade and commerce among the several states, such as is declared illegal by the Sherman anti-trust law

Unanimous Opinion.

The opinion was unanimous and the decrees were signed by all of them.

Judge Hook wrote a separate concurring opinion in which he made a number of points for the government stronger than those in the opinion which was read as that of the court

The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, by the decree entered today, is enjoined from voting the stock in any of the defendant companies which it acquired by virtue of the combination and from exercising or being allowed to exercise any control, supervision, direction or influence over the acts of any of these companies by virtue of holding stock and other powers through the combination.

The other defendant companies are enjoined from declaring or paying any dividends to the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey on account of stock acquired by it through combination, or permitting the combination to vote said stock

The opinion was written by Judge Walter H Sanborn, of St Paul It was announced from the bench by Judge Elmer B Adams, of St Louis

Appeal Can Be Made.

The case was heard before the United States circuit court for the Eighth district, and an appeal can be made direct to the supreme court of the United States It has been announced by both sides that the case would be appealed, and it is expected the attorneys for the Standard will at once begin an appeal

The court discussed the control of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey over the subsidiary companies it controls It declares the stock ownership plan gives the Standard a great power to suppress competition and holds that this combination is illegal

The court declares that congress has the right to regulate commerce, and that it therefore has the right to declare a combination of the kind that stifles competition illegal The contentions of the government regarding the manner in which the Standard secured control of the various companies is upheld by the court

The court goes into the history of the company and gives the facts in its development which, it declares are shown by the evidence According to the decision the Standard of New Jersey, through stock ownership is practically the owner or controlling influence in most of the subsidiary companies named in the suit

Government Prayer Answered.

The decree filed is also in accordance with the requests of the government in its original petition The government asked that the power of the Standard of New Jersey over its subsidiary companies be broken by breaking the power of the Standard over the management of the companies and asking that the subsidiaries be restrained from paying dividends to the holding company

In the decree, the relief sought by the government is granted and the court order is practically dissolution of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey

Though the company is not put out of existence the powers that enabled it to operate the oil monopoly are taken away The company can no longer vote the stock of the minor companies, it can not control their directors or officers, and the minor companies can not pay dividends to the parent concern Further the defendants to the original suit are instructed that they must not again form a combination that will be a monopoly of the oil business

The four circuit judges who decided the case are also the judges of the the United States circuit court of appeals so that, in a way, the circuit courts decision is also the appellate courts decision

Frank B Kellogg chief counsel for the government in the case conferred with Morrison regarding the case in Chicago yesterday and returned to St Louis last night

Suit Is Begun.

The suit of the government to dissolve the Standard Oil company was filed in the United States circuit court for the Eighth judicial circuit in St Louis, November 15, 1906, at the direction of the attorney general The action was one in equity brought under the provisions of the Sherman anti-trust laws The control through the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey of more than 100 corporations engaged in the refining and marketing of oil was characterized as a conspiracy in restraint of trade

The government asked for a permanent injunction restraining the holding company from continuing control of its subsidiary corporations and from reorganizing in such a manner that the alleged conspiracy would be perpetuated

The government's complaint against the alleged trust is a printed document of 100 pages It recited in detail the steps taken and the methods used by John D Rockefeller, William Rockefeller and Henry M Flagler and others in building up the oil corporation

Through their alleged ability to secure preferential rates from railroads and alleged unfair trade methods, they were enabled, according to the government to drive to the wall and absorb most of the independent concerns The trust as it exists today, was not effected, according to the complaint, until 1899, when the Standard Oil company was formed

To Facilitate Hearings.

To facilitate the hearings of the cases, Judge Franklin Ferriss, of St Louis, was appointed special examiner to hear the evidence He was appointed June 25, 1907, and completed his work in February, 1909 Hearings were held in most of the principal cities of the east, the most noted being that in New York, where John D Rockefeller, Henry H Rogers, John D Archbold and other officers of the company were called and were put through a gruelling examination by the government attorneys

There are twenty-one volumes of evidence, more than 25,000 pages in all In addition, there are 1,500 exhibits mostly contracts

The case was argued beginning April 5, before the full circuit bench here Judges Walter Sanborn, Willis Vandeventer, William C Hook and Elmer B Adams

Frank B Kellogg of St Paul, and Charles B Morrison, of Chicago presented the argument for the government The attorneys for the Standard were headed by Moritz Rosenthal, of Chicago, the one-thousand-dollar-a-day attorney Others representing the company in the final argument were John G Milburn, W P Taylor J J Johnson H C Folger, Frank L Crawford and Douglass Campbell

The arguments by the defense were made by Rosenthal, Johnson and Milburn

For two days Attorney Kellogg reviewed the facts alleged by the government, which he declared were borne out by the evidence before the court

The defense of the corporation was that the present organization was the natural result of the growth of a great industry

THROWS MADMAN FROM HIS ENGINE

Engineer Attacked by Negro Fireman Who Goes Insane.

Meridian, Miss, Nov 23—While at the throttle of a Mobile and Ohio train, William Handley, the engineer, was attacked by Thurman Beverly the negro fireman, who went suddenly mad After a terrific ten minute struggle, the engineer succeeded in throwing the mad man off the locomotive, breaking his neck and killing him instantly Handley was hysterical when he reached here and had to be relieved

DE ARMOND AND GRANOSON DEAD

Incinerated in De Armond Home in Missouri.

ATTEMPTS AT RESCUE ARE RENDERED VAIN

So Fiercely Do Flames Burn Throughout Residence.

Son of the Congressman Attempts To Brave the Flames and Is Restrained by His Neighbors—Fire Is Discovered by Mrs De Armond Who Lauts Just Outside Her Door as She Calls for Help.

Butler, Mo, Nov 23—"Never mind, Davy It's all right, it's all right, Davy"

These were the last words relatives of Congressman David A De Armond heard him speak as they tried valiantly to push through the curtain of flame that shut off the room where the congressman and his little grandson, David Wadsworth De Armond, were today burned to death

While Mrs H Clark, wife of General Clark, of the Missouri National guard fought desperately to enter the room and save her father's life, she heard the congressman speaking gently to the frightened lad who faced death with him Mrs Clark made a desperate effort to enter the room but was driven back by the pitiless flames

Late today in the ruins of the congressman's home charred bones were found which are supposed to be all that is left of the bodies of the victims of the fire

Story of the Horror.

Butler, Mo, Nov 23—Congressman David De Armond and his grandson, Davy, were burned to death in their home at Butler, Missouri early today

The fire was discovered in Congressman De Armond's home about 2 o'clock by Mrs De Armond She heard her grandson screaming De Armond's daughter, Mrs H C Clarke, was also in the house The congressman's wife was sleeping in another room on the same floor Davy De Armond, six, was sleeping with the congressman in a room in the corner of the house farthest from the front The room was chilly and De Armond and his grandson had taken a hot brick to their room and put it under the covers to warm the bed It is supposed the brick was so hot that it set the bed clothing afire

When Mrs De Armond heard Davy scream, she rushed towards the room to save her husband and the boy She has been in ill health, and was not strong enough to make her way against the flames and smoke Her daughter heard her scream, and ran to aid her Mrs De Armond when both found it impossible to enter the room, ran to get help Just as she stepped out of the house she fainted

Endeavors To Aid Father.

Mrs Clarke still endeavored to reach her helpless father It was only after she had been severely burned that she gave up her effort Then the congressman's son, James, who lives across the street from his father's house, tried to enter the house but was held by neighbors who saw that it would mean certain death to enter the building then like a furnace

Other efforts to aid De Armond failed and it is believed that he and the boy were incinerated in the ruins of the burning house A search is being made for the bodies

De Armond was a Democrat who had served in congress from the sixth Missouri district for ten years He was a native of Pennsylvania, having been born in Blair county Pennsylvania in 1844 He had been state senator circuit judge and supreme court commissioner before going to congress

Congressman De Armond was the oldest Democrat in the house in point of service

Expressions of Regret

Washington, Nov 23—Universal regret was expressed here by members of congress and official Washington generally over the tragic death of Representative David De Armond of Missouri news of which reached the capital today

The Missouri congressman occupied a peculiar niche in the house Although a Democrat and radical in his views, his utterances always commanded the respect of the majority side as well as that of his Democratic colleagues He was a sort of ex-officio minority leader and wielded an influence second only to the real head of the Democrats He was considered one of the authorities of the house on parliamentary law and ranked fifth in point of service

Washington still remembers vividly De Armond's fistic encounter with John Sharp Williams during the winter of 1907 Williams was then the minority leader Only a few moments after adjournment of the house, and following a spirited passage of words between the two men during the session, the two met in the aisle in front of the speaker's desk and exchanged blows They were separated by friends No official notice was ever taken of the melee by the house since it occurred after adjournment

De Armond was a lifelong friend of William J Bryan, and entered congress with the Nebraskan He was the original agitator against the present house rules

RASOR'S FATHER DIES OF WORRY

Young Rasor Upon Hearing News Proclaims Innocence.

Akron, O, Nov 23—Aaron Rasor, sixty-six, father of Guy Rasor, serving a twenty-year penitentiary sentence for the murder of Orie Lee, died Tuesday morning at his home near Wadsworth The old man was broken with worry

Son Gets News.

Columbus, O, Nov 23—"Worry did it But I am innocent"

With these broken words, Guy Rasor, who murdered his sweetheart, turned again to his work, when told shortly after dinner today that his father had died at the home near Wadsworth A gulp came in the young prisoner's throat and as he muttered, thank you warden, he dropped his head over the machine in the bolt shops at which he has worked since the prison gates closed upon him last spring

Rasor will not be allowed to attend his father's funeral It is contrary to custom at the prison and Warden Jones refuses to establish a dangerous precedent He may be allowed to write the sorrowing family but otherwise the tenor of his prison life will not be changed

HEAVY STORM AT HAMILTON

Immense Damage Is Done by the Wind.

FIFTEEN HOUSES ARE WRECKED

At Poplar Bluff, in State of Missouri.

Schoolhouse Is Wrecked About Eight Miles from Little Rock in Arkansas—Small House in the Tuberculosis Camp at Springfield, Ohio, Is Wrecked and a Patient Fatally Injured

Hamilton, O, Nov 23—Hamilton was swept by the most terrific storm of wind, rain and hail in the town's history Sudden darkness added to the terror of the storm Immense damage resulted from the wind The roof of the Riley block, a five story business building was torn off, and several stores in the building were flooded In every part of Hamilton electric poles were down and live wires filled the streets The total damage will reach many thousands

Fifteen Houses Wrecked.

Poplar Bluff, Mo, Nov 23—A tornado struck Dexter, Mo, a town of about 3 000 people 20 miles east of this city and for a space of 100 yards wide and for a quarter of a mile long everything in its path was demolished The only damage was in the north part of the town, where the storm demolished about 15 houses and completely wrecked the Stoddard county fair buildings, including the amphitheater.

Probably Fatally Injured

Springfield, O Nov 23—During a severe wind and rain storm a small house at the tuberculosis camp north of the city was demolished, and John Maher, a patient, was probably fatally injured

Schoolhouse Wrecked.

Little Rock Ark, Nov 23—A frame schoolhouse about eight miles from Little Rock was demolished by a windstorm

Many people are made giddy by the social whirl.

LITTLE HOPE OF REVERSAL

Of the Decision Against Standard at St. Louis.

PARENT COMPANY CONCEDED DOOMED

Supreme Court Expected To Affirm the Circuit.

Within Thirty Days After Its Decision Is Handed Down, It Is Expected That the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey Will Be a Thing of the Past—Half Billion Corporation Being Considered.

New York, Nov 23—It was learned today on the best authority that the attorneys for the Standard Oil company, after examining the decision of the United States circuit court of appeals, handed down on Saturday in which the Standard Oil company of New Jersey is declared illegal and ordered to restore to the original owners all of its subsidiary companies, have come to the conclusion that there is little hope that the supreme court will reverse the decision They expect within thirty days from the time that the supreme court hands down the final decision, the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey will go out of business

Believing that way it is asserted that the attorneys for the oil trust are now considering what to do There must be a reorganization to keep within the law It is realized that the formation of alleged competing companies to operate on the lines of the old oil companies of the United States and to engage in apparent competition will not do Dummy companies would bring the men responsible for their formation within the scope of the criminal law and none of the officials of the Standard are anxious to go to jail

A Great Corporation.

The proposition to form a big corporation with a capital stock of half a billion to buy out all of the small companies owned by the Standard and which will come within the scope of the court decision, is favored by a few of the lawyers They point to the fact that if such a company were formed, while it would be apparently legal under the law as defined by the supreme court in the case of the United States against the E C Knight company and others which made legal the sugar trust, they believe there would be such a furore raised by the people of the United States that congress would be compelled to legislate against it The oil trust has been the favorite theme of campaign orators for a long time and it is admittedly the most hated of all corporations

That is the reason the attorneys for the trust are now in conference in this city Ostensibly they are agreeing on the points to be incorporated in their appeal from Saturdays decision but actually they are conferring with John D Archbold and other big men at No 26 Broadway as to what to do when the mandate is finally affirmed

Rockefeller In Touch.

Rockefeller is in touch with the conference at Forest Hill He is at the other end of a private leased telegraph line with his own confidential operators manning it Up to the present time the only remedy for the situation suggested has been a modification of the law by congress This is Archbold's plan He believes it can be put through, and he and his agents are engaged in securing the cooperation of all the big politicians that can be reached in advocacy of the plan

It is the intention to circulate newspaper articles showing that the scope of the Sherman law if the St Louis decision stands will affect all combinations of capital even copartnerships and it is hoped that President Taft will be so impressed that he will suggest the modification of the law along the line the trust lawyers will suggest

If this can not be secured then, and then only, a new Standard Oil company with an enormous capital, formed along the lines of the United States Steel corporation, will be formed and in its formation every care will be taken to see that the letter, at least, of the law is lived up to

It will be a month or longer before a definite plan will be decided on In the meanwhile, the lawyers and the big oil chiefs will get ready to act And they will work always with the knowledge that they have practically no hope of securing even the slightest modification of Saturday's decision

Officials Smile.

Washington, Nov 23—Officials of the department of justice are inclined to smile at the protestations of Standard Oil counsel that the decree handed down on Saturday will not occasion the dissolution of the oil company They declare that these statements are made for effect

"The government," said one of the highest of the department's officers, "won on every point it made

If the supreme court upholds the decision, the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, which is a holding company, will have to go out of business It reestablishes the subsidiary companies as independent, competitive concerns"

Constitutional Amendment.

New York, Nov 23—A formal and concerted demand by organized labor for an amendment to the federal constitution that will make legal the complete enforcement of an employers' liability law, was forecasted today at the session of the National Civic federation by A B Garretson of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, grand chief conductor of the Order of Railway Conductors

25 BUILDINGS ARE WRECKED

Dynamite Used on the Store of an Italian.

DAMAGE AMOUNTS TO NEARLY $50,000

It Is Thought To Be Work of Black Hand.

Joseph Mascari, Whose Store Is Thought To Have Been the Scene of the Explosion, Denies Having Been Threatened, but Other Italians of Danville, Illinois, Laugh at His Statements.

Danville, Ills, Nov 23—Twenty five frame buildings in the center of this city were wrecked after midnight today by dynamite The explosion is believed to have been the work of Black Handers

Four persons are reported to be missing

The dynamite is believed to have been set off in a fruit and wine house owned by Joseph Mascari, an Italian The explosion demolished Mascari's place, and so great was its force that practically all the buildings within the block were demolished Plate glass windows were shattered for several blocks around

Early today part of a dynamite fuse was found near the scene This, together with the fact that two men were seen running away from the scene shortly before the explosion, leads to the belief that it was the work of the Black Hand society

Mascari said today, however, that so far as he knew he had no enemies among the Italians, and that he has never received any threatening letters

About one year ago Mascari's residence was blown up by dynamite, the whole front being torn out No one was injured, but at that time a Black Hand plot was hinted at

Mascari still declares he has no enemies, but it was freely whispered by Italians of the neighborhood that he had frequently been threatened

The damage to the buildings will reach nearly $50 000 Six buildings adjoining the fruit store on the north and south were wrecked and residences in the remote sections of the city were shaken

Negress Dead at 121.

Eaton, O, Nov 23—Nancy Crawley, negress, representing six generations died here today at the age of 121 years The youngest of two living daughters is seventy-five and the other 100, having recently celebrated her centennial anniversary Her eyesight once practically gone was regained three years ago Her hearing was perfect

License Revoked.

Columbus, O, Nov 23—The state medical board today revoked Dr Justin Rose's license on ground of immoral conduct The alleged immoral conduct was the use of two names in the pursuit of his profession at Cleveland

Occasionally a man takes his wife's advice so he can taunt her with the worthlessness thereof if it turns out bad

THE BALLINGER PINCHOT CASE

Is To Be Given Another Airing at Once.

SUCH IS DECISION OF THE PRESIDENT

Entire Matter To Be Submitted to Wickersham.

Taft Has Assumed Personal Charge of the Investigation So Far as It Concerns the Policy of the Administration in Conserving Natural Resources, Led Thereto by Letter from Former Secretary Garfield.

Washington, Nov 23—That the president's decision to reopen the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy and refer the whole subject matter of the dispute to Attorney General Wickersham for an opinion, was the result of a letter received at the White house from former Secretary of the Interior Garfield, was the information gained today by the United Press from a high source of authority

While the exact text of Garfield's letter has not been made public, it was authoritatively learned today that the former secretary told the president that when he was in office, he believed the Cunningham and other Alaskan coal claims to be fraudulent and that had he continued in office, the government would probably not have consented to a hearing in the matter until the agents of the land office had had time to make a complete report and gather sufficient data upon which to combat the suit for patents

Almost daily conferences between Secretary Ballinger and the president have given a fresh impetus to the rumor that Taft has assumed personal charge of the investigation so far as it concerns the policy of the administration in conserving natural resources

Shake-Up Promised.

Washington, Nov 23—A shake-up in the administration in the general land office and prosecution for land frauds in the West that will create a sensation throughout the entire country is predicted today by close friends of the administration, as the ultimate result of the so-called Ballinger-Pinchot controversy

This development, together with rumors to the effect that the prosecution of sugar trust officials on account of the outcome of frauds in New York, is but the beginning of a series of activities by the federal government by which President Taft expects to prove to the American people that he is in earnest in endorsing the Roosevelt policies has created a stir of speculation here

Although the president refuses to take stock in the "Back From Elba Club" story, his friends say he is not a little anxious because of the sentiment prevalent in certain sections of the country "that Roosevelt would have done things differently" and the apparently increasing tendency to compare the present administration with the preceding one The president would like to make a record on his own account and in his own way during his term of office, they assert.

Heney On Deck.

The recent appointment of Francis J Heney, the graft prosecutor, to his old post in charge of the land cases in Oregon, is but the beginning of the upheaval promised from the general land office

If Attorney General Wickersham finds that Secretary Ballinger's connection with the Cunningham coal land claims while he was out of the government service has interfered with his administration of the interior department, the secretary will either be asked to resign or be transferred to another department of the government, say the administration supporters

The president's forthcoming annual message to congress will be strongly in favor of conservation and conservation laws, according to a man who today saw a portion of the recommendations to be made on this subject

Fifteen Prisoners Hanged.

Saratov, Nov 23—The military tribunals of the empire contributed fifteen more to the growing death list today, when fifteen prisoners were hanged here In the absence of the official executioner, a political prisoner was impressed into service as hangman All of those executed were Nihilists.

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MAN KILLED FOR STEALING WATER

Story of the Horrors of the Cherry Mine.

SURVIVOR TELLS OF DUEL IN THE DARK

Pathetic Documents Written by the Miners.

Some Write Last Messages to Their Loved Ones—Others Write Their Wills—After Taking Out Twenty Men Alive, the Rescue Party Is Stopped by a Cave-In and Fire Damp.

Cherry, Ill., Nov. 22.—After taking out 20 miners alive the rescue party at the St. Paul mine was stopped by a big cave-in and blackdamp, but separate work is being pushed in the direction of the east end of the mine, where more of the entombed men are believed to be alive. Ninety-two bodies have been found and 198 are missing.

The story of a desperate fight, waged in the depths of the mine by one faction of 21 entombed miners against another, was told by Que Antoniese, one of the rescued miners, the man who led the imprisoned miners out of their sealed gallery in the final sortie that resulted in their escape. According to Antoniese the saving of the men was accomplished only after one group, headed by a brawny miner whose name everyone refused to tell, had been overpowered by another. The first party adopted as its motto "might makes right." The second was bound together by the principle that the strong should protect the weak. In the course of this struggle four of the men were beaten by their companions and cowed into submission to a regular form of government. Bitter personalities were exchanged, blows were struck and finally knives were drawn. The thing the men quarreled over was water. There were three sick men in the party, Franco Zannarini, Daniel Waloczak and George Eddy. Of these Eddy was the strongest and Waloczak, the oldest, was the weakest. The group of men headed by McClelland and Waite insisted that the men should have the first call on the small supply of water that poured into the shallow pits which had been dug.

Select Two Leaders.

When the men first found themselves cooped up they turned naturally to George Eddy and Walter Waite for leadership. These men are scientific miners. They have had the advantage of years of practical experience. The rank and file of the miners looked up to and respected them.

"The first two or three days," said Antoniese, "were days of constant difficulties. Some of the men rebelled against the orders from Eddy and Waite. They were thirsty and the most of the water was going to Waloczak and Zannatini. They insisted that the water should be divided share and share alike. The first troubles were arguments. Then the men became more bitter and exchanged personalities. Finally they came to blows. In the midst of this trouble George Eddy was taken sick. That cut the rations of water for the stronger men shorter than they had been.

"Immediately after this some of the men began stealing water. In order that the sick men might have all that then needed special wells were dug beside them. They were able to put their faces into the wells and lap up with their tongues the water that oozed down the sides.

"Soon after Eddy was taken sick we discovered that some one was crawling up to Waloczak, pushing him aside, and drinking his water. The old man was so far gone that he could not resist, and in the darkness could not see who his assailant was.

Guard the Weak.

"A secret guard was established over him, and before many hours had passed we pounced on a man who was drinking the sick man's water. We gave him a bad beating. He resisted and fought back. He was strong and worsted one or two of us. At last he drew a knife and began slashing around. Then we felled him with an ax and drew him into a corner.

"After that we had no trouble about water being stolen. We established a regular guard over all the sick men. Some of the men only got snatches of sleep. We knew that they could be trusted and used them for guard duty."

Thirty-five more bodies were discovered in the second vein. The discovery of the bodies was made in the third east drift, where a pile of debris was blocking a trap door. Removing this the miners forced open the door and were horrified to find a ghastly heap piled up against the door. It was estimated that there were about 35 bodies in the heap. Three men apparently had rushed to the door just after the fall came and had been killed in a few moments by blackdamp.

Fifty-two of the bodies thus far recovered have been identified. Thirty-four bodies have been buried. Twenty-two bodies have been taken to nearby towns and 12 were placed in the cemetery adjoining the Catholic church.

More Signals Heard.

Word came from the foot of the shaft that workers on the east side of the vein had distinctly heard the voices of two men shouting for help. Andrew White, a driver employed at the St. Paul mine in Grandville, who has been brought here to work, brought up the report.

The charge is made that there is a conflict of authority, which is lessening the chances of the men who may be fighting the blackdamp in sealed-up corridors. It is pointed out that the 20 men who have come up alive virtually saved their own lives, and all the rescuers did was to bring them to the surface after they had fought their way to safety. Some of the firemen charge openly that they could penetrate into the unexplored portions if they were permitted by their superiors to do so, but that they had been held back and kept at work shoring up the walls and putting in supports. It is pointed out that fires are still burning below and that the workers must proceed with the utmost caution in order to avoid a new conflagration.

The survivors spent the day quietly at their homes. Such of them as were able to sit up were visited all day by friends from other towns. A number of the men remained all day in their beds nursing back to life the spark of vitality so nearly quenched during seven days of thirsting and famine in the mine.

Nearly every one of the 20 miners left a will. Most of the married men left letters to their wives, some of these documents being pathetic in their illiteracy. There is, for instance, the case of John Lorimer, a Scotchman. Lorimer came to this country with his young wife. They have been married three years. On Sunday, when the mine had not been opened, Mrs. Lorimer walked the streets in a daze, tortured with the thought that her husband might still be alive. On that day Lorimer, by the light of his cap lamp, wrote the following letter on a slip of note paper:

"Dear Wife—I am still living yet. This is 1 o'clock Sunday morning, but we have poor hope as the blackdamp is getting the best of us. There is 21 of us altogether here. Dear wife, don't grieve, we will meet again. God bless you and believe in Him. He will take care of you. I guess we will meet in a better land. When you get over this let them know at home. That is all, dear. God bless you."

"I would work my hands to the bone if he would quit mine work," she said.

Joy and Grief Combined.

There was joy and grief at the home of Mrs. Gullie Sorbelli when her youngest brother, Buonfilio Ruggeri, aged 18, came out alive. He is small for his age, and his seven days without food has left him only a shadow of what he was. "Go back?" said he yesterday. "Never. Better to starve up here in the sun than to die slowly down there in the darkness."

As a result of delay owing to the fact that the great crowds that are gathering here are hampering the work around the shaft and to the circumstance that serious friction has arisen among the state and county officials, a movement has been started here to put the town of Cherry under martial law. Yesterday there were 25,000 strangers in the town. They came from as far away as Chicago, and packed the space around the works in a solid circle 10 feet deep. All day long the militia battled with the crowd, pressing it back and driving it out of forbidden places. All day long the crowd pressed in where it did not belong, hampering the workmen and filling all the passages to and from the coal company's plant.

AN AGED RESIDENT DIES AT CALEDONIA

Mrs. Jonas Stafford Passes Away at Extreme Age.

Caledonia, Nov. 23.—[Special.]—Mrs. Wealthy Scott Stafford, one of the oldest resident of this place, died at the home of her son, Theodore Stafford, of High street, between 11 and 12 o'clock Monday night. Death was due to old age. While Mrs. Stafford had been feeble several years, she was able to be about the house until Saturday, when she was taken to her bed.

The deceased was born in New York state, April 5, 1830, and resided at Caledonia forty-two years. She was the widow of Jonas Stafford who died eleven years ago. As a result of her long residence she had a wide circle of friends. Two children, Theodore, of this place, and Mrs. Henry Rush, of Marion, eleven grandchildren, one great-grandchild and a number of other relatives survive.

The funeral will be held, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the Universalist church, Rev. G. F. Thompson officiating. Interment will be made in the Caledonia cemetery.

Change Recommended.

Columbus, O., Nov. 23.—The biennial report of the Mansfield state reformatory filed with the governor, Tuesday, recommends a change in the law so that inmates of the Mansfield institution may be paroled with one manager voting against them.

SOME CHAMPIONS AT LIVE STOCK SHOW AND VIEW OF GREAT ARENA AT CHICAGO

All cattle trails now lead to Chicago, and the reason thereof is the great international live stock exposition, which begins on November 27 and lasts to December 10. During the second week of the live stock exposition the Chicago horse show will be held and the events combined will bring to the city by the lake the champions of all the other horse and cattle shows of the year. Chicago expects the biggest crowd since the world's fair of 1893 and has provided a series of surpassing entertainments for the visitors. Every ranch and horse farm in the country that boasts pedigreed stock will be represented at one or the other of the big events, and it is estimated that the sales of blooded horses and cattle will reach far into the millions of dollars. The prize lists of cups, medals and cash is the biggest ever offered to the cattle and horse breeders in this country. Both shows are open to the world. A feature of the horse show will be the draft horse class, which will bring together a finer array of heavy horses than did either the London or New York show.

GRAVE CRISIS PRECIPITATED

By Introduction of Budget into House of Lords.

NEARLY 400 PEERS ARE PRESENT MONDAY

To Pile Up a Great Majority Against Measure.

Lord Lansdowne, in Opposing the Measure, Holds That a Matter of Such Import Must First Be Submitted to a Vote of the People, That Otherwise, the Budget Will Be Rejected by Peers.

London, Nov. 22.—Before the fullest representation of England's nobility that has graced the house of lords in generations, the Earl of Crews formally presented to the peers at 1.20 o'clock today Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd-George's budget, precipitating the gravest governmental crisis that the British empire has faced for nearly a century.

Almost every man entitled to a seat in the aristocratic upper chamber of England's national legislature, unless so old or ill that it would have been suicide for him to leave his bed, was on hand to fight for his rank, his wealth and his privileges, and his right to a permanent place among the lawmakers of the world.

Noblemen who had never attended a parliamentary session in their lives attended. The pomp of England's proud peerage was on parade. Gray-bearded grandfathers so aged and feeble that they could scarcely walk tottered to their century old places in the arms of trusty retainers. In one of two seats in the chamber sat palsied patriarchs, their withered lips mumble hardly aware of what took place about them. Their vote, however, is as good as any other lawmakers.

To Pile Majority.

All are welcome at this time and all are needed to pile up a majority against the revolutionary proposition that the British aristocracy should bear its fair share of the burden of taxation, which the peers contend should rest, as it always had, upon the commonalty almost entirely.

Without the chamber was a scene vividly contrasting with the quiet, solemn atmosphere that rested on the gathering of stolid, phlegmatic aristocrats. Thousands had gathered to see the peers of England go to the opening skirmish of their battle for existence, and the police had trouble controlling them. As aged and decrepit aristocrats rolled up to the house in carriages, in answer to the urgent call of their party, the commonalty alternately jeered and cheered. The police had difficulty too, determining who to admit to the house. For there were peers present who the guardians of the gates had never seen before and they were forced to show their credentials, much to their chagrin.

The crowd cheered again and again as some haughty aristocrat was held up at the barrier. They sang "Rule Britannia" until the interior of the chamber rang with the echo.

Police Are Active.

The police did their best to control them, but with little effect. Adequate police were on hand, however, as the authorities were apprehensive of a great suffragette demonstration.

Fully 400 lords were in their seats when Lord Crewe rose to read the budget. Lord Lansdowne, the Conservative whip, had done his duty well and he said that he expects to have fully 500 on hand to vote at the conclusion of debate on the bill Thursday evening. The debate is nothing more than a solemn farce, and the rejection of the bill is certain.

Lord Lansdowne's resolution, however, which will result in the rejection, will be carefully worded, and instead of summarily throwing out the bill, will be a refusal of the lords to pass it until the "voice of the people is heard on the subject.

Ranged behind Lord Crewe, the Liberal leader, were the few supporters of the administration in the upper house. On the opposition benches, Lansdowne marshaled his force. The spiritual lords, Conservatives all of them, mustered around the venerable Archbishop of Canterbury and his colleague of York.

A few of the Conservative lords, opposed to the summary rejection of the budget, gathered about the Duke of Northumberland. The Duke of Connaught was the only royal duke in the non-partisan benches, with Lords Roberts, Cromer and James of Hereford.

Among the spectators, King Manuel of Portugal, with the Portuguese ambassador, Marquis de Soveral, was one of the most interested.

On the steps of the throne were many cabinet members. Less important members of the house of commons ranged themselves along the bar of the house.

The peeresses gallery was packed. The ambassadors reserve space was filled to overflowing. Whitelaw Reid, the American ambassador, was in the front row of the gallery.

Having received Lord Chancellor Loreburn's dry formal consent, Lord Crewe read the bill in precise even tones. The Liberal benches fluttered faint approval. The Conservatives stirred with indignation.

Then the agitation subsided, and a tenser excitement took its place as Lord Lansdowne rose to reply.

Lansdowne Speaks.

Lord Lansdowne justified his motion to refer the budget to the people, as the only alternative to a summary rejection of the measure. He admitted that the lords have not the right to amend finance bills under precedent, but claimed that they had the right to a detailed discussion of the advisability of rejecting it. He said the house did not wish to reject the bill until the wishes of the electors were known, but that the issues presented are too serious to allow the house of lords to pass the bill.

Lord Lansdowne declared that under cover of the budget the government had presented to the house every land bill and licensing bill which had been rejected in the house. In order to secure their passage without amendment under the plea that the lords can not amend a finance measure.

"No self-respecting lower chamber," said Lansdowne, "would tolerate such a budget. The framers of the measure might just as well have included an Irish home rule provision in the budget and asked us to pass it."

DAYTON HOPES TO HOLD PLANT

Despite Flattering Offers by Other Cities to the Wrights.

Dayton, O., Nov. 23.—The incorporation at Albany, New York, of the million dollar Wright company for the manufacture of aeroplanes will not deprive Dayton of its proud title, "the aviation center of the world," if the Wright brothers have their way.

The location of the company's proposed big factory will be decided at a meeting in New York on Thursday.

"Many cities have made flattering offers for the factory," said Orville Wright this morning, "but my brother and I decided the inducements offered would not compensate for leaving Dayton. We will do everything in our power to keep the plant located here and are really hopeful of success. Meanwhile, operations will continue at our old shop here."

Wilbur Wright is now in New York in connection with the financial end of the organization.

Early in 1910.

The Hague, Nov. 22.—It was informally announced here today that Queen Wilhelmina expects another child early in 1910.

STATES MUST GET TOGETHER

On Certain Laws Which Conditions Are Demanding,

SAYS PRESIDENT LOW OF CIVIC FEDERATION

In the Opening Address Inited at Auburn Monday,

Pleads for a Uniform System of State Laws Along Certain Lines, Holding That Unless They Do the Demand for Action by the Central Government Is Likely To Become Irresistible.

New York, Nov. 22.—The two days' session of the National Civic Federation opened here today with Seth Low presiding.

Among those present are A. H. Gill, of Bolton, England, a member of the English parliament, who is to present plans now being considered in England as to employers' liability and the pensioning of the aged.

Major A. E. Pierkowski, of the great Krupp factories at Essen, Germany, will explain what the Germans have done in the same direction.

Among those present at the deliberations of the federation are Archbishop John Ireland, Franklin MacVeagh, secretary of the treasury; Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor; D. A. Tompkins, director of the National Manufacturers' association; John Hays Hammond, George M. Gillette, of the Minneapolis Steel & Machinery company, of Minneapolis; William Butterworth, of Moline, Illinois, and J. A. Holmes, expert in charge of the technical branch of the United States geological survey.

Uniform State Laws.

In his opening address, President Low pleaded for a uniform system of state laws, declaring that unless fairly uniform legislation can be had upon a constantly increasing number of subjects, the demand for action by the central government is likely to become irresistible. This demand for government action, unless the states make their laws uniform, he declared, would probably, in time, require an amendment to the constitution to give the central government the power the states fail to use for the common benefit.

In enumerating the subjects on which he said the states would have to agree to prevent the central government from abrogating their rights Mr. Low named conservation of natural resources, the anti-trust laws, railway regulation, bank laws, insurance legislation, pure food, and all matters which are in common use in all sections of the country.

President Low declared that one of the subjects which the federation would discuss was employers' liability.

PROBABLE HEAD OF THE BILLION DOLLAR TELEGRAPH MERGER

It was Theodore N. Vail president of the American Telephone and Telegraph company, who announced the new billion-dollar merger of the telephone and telegraph companies of the country, and it is believed that he will head the big combination when all the details of the merger are completed. Mr. Vail has been in the telephone and telegraph business nearly all his life. One of his uncles was the principal backer of Morse, the inventor of the telegraph as now operated. Mr. Vail is a native of Ohio and in his boyhood lived on a farm in Iowa.

CONFESSES TO A DOUBLE MURDER

To Make Easy the Way of His Aged Mother.

FACES GALLOWS IN MISSISSIPPI

If Cleared of Charge of Entering Inhabited House.

Edward Bachman, Now in the County Jail at Mansfield, Tells Warden That He Will Never Be Any Good to His Mother Anyway and She Might Just as Well Have Reward Offered for Him.

Galion, O., Nov. 22.—Edward Bachman, a prisoner in the Richland county jail, faces the gallows in Mississippi, because of his confessing a double murder at Gulfport, so that his aged mother might get the reward offered for his capture. He pledged Chief of Police Waldman, before his confession, to pay his mother the reward.

"I will never be any good to her, free and alive," Bachman said, according to Chief Waldman of Galion. "The reward will be of some use to her, whether I am sent to the penitentiary or hanged."

Chief Waldman announced that Bachman confessed the double murder to him on his return with Bachman from the Columbus workhouse, where Bachman had been taken on a minor charge, to hold him for trial here for burglary and larceny.

The chief at once communicated with the police of Gulfport. They replied that they wanted Bachman for shooting and killing an aged man and a police officer. They said that Bachman committed the double murder when the policeman caught him robbing the man in a crowd at a street fair.

Bachman, if convicted of the charge against him here, that of entering an inhabited dwelling at night, may be sentenced to the Ohio penitentiary for life. If acquitted he will be taken to Mississippi to face the double murder charge.

PAYS PENALTY OF HIS CRIME

Theodore Rizzo Is Electrocu- New York Monday.

FOR MURDER OF TWO INNOCENTS

The Administration of Justice Is a Speedy One.

Eight Weeks After the Execution of His Crime Near the Old Cemetery at Utica, New York, Rizzo Is a Dead Man—Rizzo Goes to the Death Chair with Most Unusual Stoicism.

Auburn, N. Y., Nov. 22.—Theodore Rizzo, confessed slayer of Theresa Procopio and Freddie Infusino, two little children, at Utica, was executed in the electric chair in Auburn death-house this morning. Rizzo was officially pronounced dead at 6:15 o'clock. Rizzo's trial was one of the speediest in the history of New York state justice. He was tried, convicted and executed within eight weeks.

On the evening of September 12, Rizzo lured Theresa Procopio, seven; Fannie Infusino, six, and Freddie Infusino, two, to an isolated spot near a cemetery at Utica and attacked them. Then to prevent their betraying him, he shot each of them. Only Fannie Infusino survived her injuries. Rizzo was caught after a frenzied search. He confessed his crime.

Rizzo went to his death with unusual stoicism. He calmly gazed at the witnesses and watched the proceedings with apparent interest until the death mask was adjusted. He did not utter a word after he left his cell, where he said good-by in Italian to three other murderers. He took his seat in the death chair, indifferently kissed the crucifix that was offered him, and mechanically stroked his mouth. Three shocks were required to produce death.

No, Cordelia, a fourth-class postmaster isn't necessarily a fourth-class man.

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SCENES IN NICARAGUAN REVOLUTION WHERE TWO AMERICANS WERE EXECUTED

U.S.S. DES MOINES
JOSE SANTOS ZELAYA
REFUGEES AT GRENADA
CONSCRIPTS AT MANAGUA
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The United States government took prompt action in the disturbance in Nicaragua following the execution of two Americans, Leroy Cannon and Leonard Groce, who were put to death as rebels by order of President Jose Santos Zelaya. It was announced in Managua that the men were captured while planting mines and that they had explosives and electrical apparatus in their possession which the rebels intended to use in blowing up a Nicaraguan gunboat. Both men are said to be soldiers of fortune. Cannon was a resident of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and is said to have engaged in a revolution in Honduras. This is denied by his friends. The navy department at once ordered the Vicksburg and the Des Moines, two warships, *to the scene of the trouble, and it is declared at* Washington that unless there is prompt and adequate explanation on the part of Zelaya marines will occupy the ports of his country. At all events it is believed that the United States will put a quietus to the revolution at once. It is asserted in despatches from Managua that Cannon and Groce were tried by court-martial and given every chance to prove their innocence. This is not believed at Washington.

SURPRISED TO LEARN BIG MAN'S IDENTITY

Would Like To Shake Hand of Jim Jeffries.

Akron, O., Nov. 23.—"The thing I regret most," said Mrs Lithia Rotzel, twenty-five, who was struck and dragged thirty feet late Saturday night by an automobile driven by Fred Work, enroute to the Portage Country club with James J. Jeffries as a passenger, "is that I never knew until Monday who that big man was that carried me into the house after the accident

Jeffries gave an exhibition here Saturday night with his manager, Sam Berger, and others. He leaped from the big machine after it had stopped, lifted Mrs. Rotzel, then unconscious, from beneath the car, and carried her to her home nearby. Before leaving Akron, Sunday, he sent her a bunch of American Beauty roses. She was only slightly hurt.

"I asked two or three times who the big man in the black coat was, but we did not find out until today," Mrs. Rotzel said.

"I am sorry, for I would have liked to have shaken hands with Jim Jeffries. He carried me into the house here and put me down in a chair and talked me out of my scare."

Mrs. Rotzel says that the accident was nobody's fault. "Except for the shaking up I feel fine," she said Monday.

THE FIRST TRIAL DIVORCE IN STATE

Is That of the Hannas Over at Shelby.

Shelby, O., Nov 23.—The first trial divorce, as far as can be ascertained, was granted at Mansfield today to Walter D. Hanna city clerk.

On suggestion of Judge Cummins, the decree will not be recorded until Hanna and his wife either become reconciled, or find that reconciliation is impossible.

Hanna was given the custody of their two children, Phyllis, five, and Merrill, three, in the hope that they may lead his wife back to him. He has the two children at his home here.

Mrs. Hanna, who is now living near Ashland, offered no opposition to the suit of her husband.

The trial divorce was the outcome of the infatuation of Mrs. Hanna for Samuel Robb, of Shelby. Hanna found them together at his home on the night of October 1 and compelled them to sign an affidavit, confessing *their love for each other.*

SHORTAGE NOT GREAT AS FIRST EXPECTED

A Discovery Is Made by the City Auditor.

STREET GAS LIGHTS WILL BE RETAINED

Such Is the Opinion of the City Officials—A Contract for Gas Lights May Be Renewed to Better Advantage—Proposition for Change in Electrical Service of the City.

Figuring on next year's tax duplicate of $7,088,380 and the expenditures made out of the various funds for the first ten months of this year, City Auditor Harry S. Elliott has discovered that the municipality for 1910 will be short only $3,849.60 instead of $10,000 as was thought when the council passed the city tax levy of ten mills. This discovery probably means that it will not be necessary to abandon the street gas lights as was at first supposed. To keep within the city's revenue of $70,883.80 for 1910, expenses will be curtailed in every other possible way in order that a contract for street gas lights may be renewed.

Believing that the abandonment of the street gas lamps would be working a hardship on hundreds of citizens, especially men employed in the shops, members of the council have been opposed to discontinuing the gas lighting system if it were possible and keep within the city's revenue.

Since the city would have been cast into total darkness as a result of the storm damaging the electric light service, Monday night, they are more convinced than ever that the street gas lamps should remain. These lights, 184 in number, were the only ones burning in the streets up until 9 o'clock Monday night.

When the tax-levy ordinance was adopted it was thought that the council would have to eliminate the street cleaning fund, cut out the gas lights and pare the salaries of city officials. This would make a saving of $8,500.

With a shortage of only $3,849.60 the council may still make an appropriation for street cleaning without cutting down salaries or doing away with the street gas lamps. It is understood that the Sun Vapor company, of Canton, which has the contract for street lights, is willing to renew its contract, which expires December 1, for less money than it is now receiving. The Marion Railway, Light & Power company has made a proposition to the city to furnish incandescent lights where the gas lamps are now located for $20 a year for each light, while under its present contract the Sun Vapor company receives $22.50 a lamp.

In the street-cleaning department the strictest economy will be observed to make up the shortage of $3,849.60. It is also possible that council may see fit to carry out its original purpose of cutting down officials' salaries.

LOTS OF GAME BUT NO BONGO

Falls Before the Unerring Aid of Bwana Tumbo.

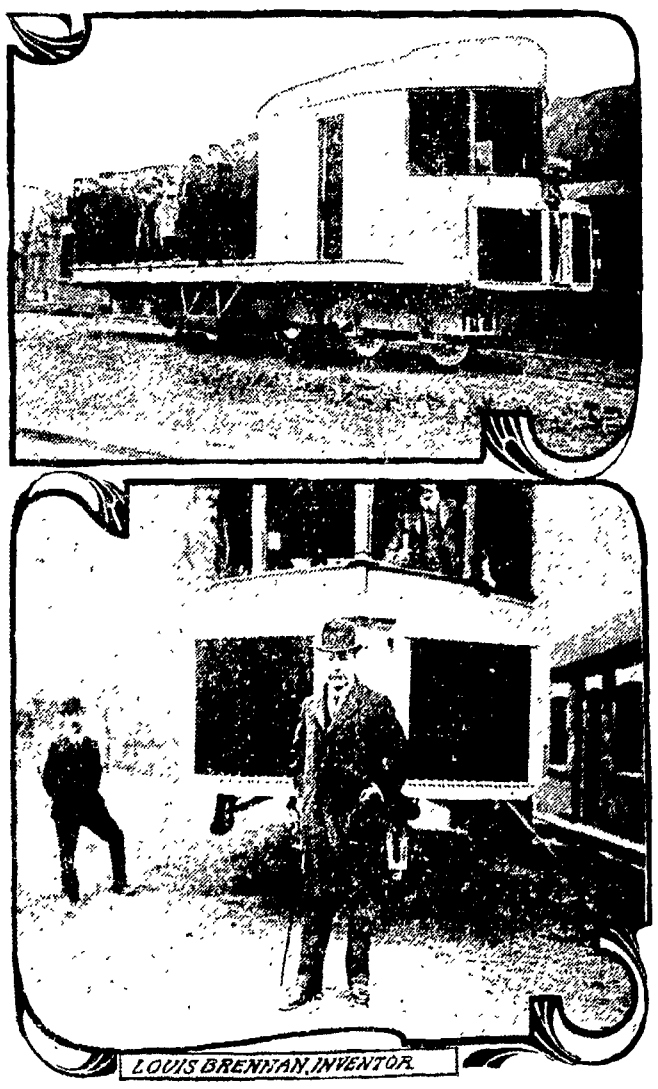
Nairobi, B. E. A., Nov. 22.—News received today from the Inguashu plateau says that Colonel Roosevelt has killed four more elephants in the last few days, three of which will be presented to the American Museum of Natural History in New York and the fourth to the University of California museum. Roosevelt has been accompanied in his elephant hunt by Mr. Akeley.

In addition to the elephants the ex-president has brought down five horned giraffe, one roan bush buck, a Jackson oribo and antelopes of the sneezing, topi, bohor and kob varieties.

The hunting at present is the best that the colonel has yet encountered and he is having the "time of his life" as he expresses it.

Polish windows with paper instead of cloth to avoid lint and streaks.

FIRST PHOTOS OF MONORAIL CAR AT ITS TRYOUT IN ENGLAND



These are the first photographs to reach America of Louis Brennan's monorail gyroscope, upon which the British government is to spent $500,000 *in establishing an absolutely new method of transportation. A car forty* feet in length, bearing fifty persons, was tried out at Cunnamngham, England, a few days ago, and these pictures of the machine and its inventor, who also invented the Brennan torpedo, were taken on that occasion. At the tryout of the car two gyro-copes spinning at a rate of 2,000 revolutions a minutes, were used to balance the vehicle and hold it to the monorail as perfectly as if the car had been running on an ordinary railway track. The principle is the same as a spinning top, the rapid revolutions of which prevent it from falling over. It is believed that the car can be run at a speed of 100 miles an hour with perfect safety.

LABOR TO FIGHT THE STEEL TRUST

Big Meeting To Be Held at Pittsburg December 16.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 23.—The American Federation of Labor has called a conference of national labor officers for this city December 16 to plan a campaign against the United States Steel corporation.

The federation holds that the steel trust is seeking to destroy organized labor not only in steel mills, but in all the branches of the steel business, including the transportation of ore and finished products

The December conference here is to map out a campaign against the corporation through which the federation expects to organize into unions the men all over the country, mining ore, transporting it and making it into steel.

President Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor will preside at the conference.

DR. COOK'S DATA ON HIS VOYAGE

Will Start *for Copenhagen* Thanksgiving Day.

New York, Nov. 22.—On Thanksgiving day, the voluminous report of Dr. Frederick A. Cook, to the University of Copenhagen, will be taken aboard the Scandinavian-American liner, United States, under strong guard. Cook stated today that he was taking no chances of his report miscarrying, and has arranged to have it locked in the steamer's strong box. Walter Lonsdale, his secretary, will go on the steamer to safeguard the report.

The report consists of *50,000* words and is a general analysis of the explorer's data entered in his *note books while in the Arctic* regions. Dr. Cook expects his report to reach Copenhagen by December 7.

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RIVAL LAWYERS IN STANDARD OIL DISSOLUTION

The government's success in securing a decision of the United States circuit court for the district of Missouri dissolving the Standard Oil *company and declaring it an illegal* corporation, is largely due to the efforts of Frank B. Kellogg, of St Paul, who was assisted in the case by Charles B. Morrison, of Chicago. The Standard Oil company was represented by a distinguished array of legal talent, headed by John G. Milburn, of Buffalo, and including David T. Watson, of Pittsburg, Moritz Rosenthal, of Chicago, *and John G. Johnson*, of Philadelphia. The decree of dissolution takes effect in thirty days unless suspended by an appeal to the supreme court of the United States.

LATEST PORTRAIT OF LEADER IN THE EDDY CHURCH WAR

Mrs Augusta E. Stetson, of the Christian Science church, has been *excommunicated by the Boston com*mittee. She has twice previously been admonished by the directors

HENRY L. STIMSON, PROSECUTOR OF THE SUGAR TRUST CASES

There is a strange mixture of politics and trust rivalry in the revival of the scandals involving the American Sugar Refining company, which have recently resulted in wholesale resignations of men long in the employ of the company in New York. The story that the government was *entitled to $20,000,000 when it accepted something less than $7,000,000* for the weighing frauds perpetrated on the sugar trust docks in Brooklyn has been revived and undoubtedly will cause a further investigation. Henry L. Stimson, special prosecutor for the United States in the sugar cases, denies that the government accepted anything less than its due following the weighing frauds. William Loeb, collector of customs at New York, comes to the rescue of ex-President Roosevelt in reply to hints that the sugar trust was not prosecuted as vigorously as it might have been. It is believed that a reopening of the cases will result in a series of further sensations.

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Vance Roberts, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 17th day of November, A. D., 1909, Coral Dale Roberts filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Marion County, Ohio, her certain petition, in case No. 12,535, of the *appearance docket of said court, praying* for a divorce from said Vance Roberts upon the grounds of gross neglect of duty.

That said cause will be for hearing on and after the 30th day of December, 1909, and that said Vance Roberts is required to answer said petition within the time mentioned above

CORAL DALE ROBERTS.
By E. T. Boyd, her attorney.
27-wk-th-6

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SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.

The School Examiners of Marion county, Ohio, will meet for the examination of teachers at Central school building, Saturday,

DECEMBER 4,

Examinations commence at 8:30 a. m. and no applications will be received after 10 a. m. All examinations will be written and positively no private examinations will be granted. A fee of 50 cents will be charged on admission to the examination and each applicant will furnish an envelope, stamped and addressed to him or herself, in which a certificate or notice of *failure will be forwarded.* Applicants will be graded on a scale of 100. No certificate will be granted when the grade in any branch falls below 70. An average of 75 with a minimum of 70 secures a certificate for one year. 80 with a minimum of 75 secures a certificate of two years. 90 with a minimum of 85 secures a certificate for three years. 95 with a minimum of 90 secures a certificate for 5 years. An average of 98 with a minimum of 95 secures a certificate for 8 years.

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* Daily except Sunday.

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JOHN F. KLINE IS CLAIMED BY DEATH

The Passing of an Aged Prospect Resident.

Prospect, Nov. 23.—[Special.]—John F. Kline, eighty-one years old, died from the infirmities of age at the home of his son, Frank Kline, Monday night at 8 o'clock. His wife died several years ago.

The deceased is survived by the following sons, James and Edward, of Urbana; John, of Mt. Vernon; Richard, of Radnor, and Jacob, Hugh and Frank, of Prospect.

The funeral services will be held at the late residence, Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock, followed by interment in the Prospect cemetery.

BRILLIANT WEDDING AT MARX RESIDENCE

Miss Selma Marx and Mr. Meyer Hess United.

A LARGE COMPANY WITNESSES CEREMONY

The Marriage Rites Are Celebrated by Rabbi Kornfeld, of Columbus. Wedding Supper Is Served at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Kleinmaier—A Wedding Journey.

A brilliant wedding was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. Marx, of south State street at 6.30 Monday evening, when their daughter, Miss Selma, became the wife of Mr. Meyer Hess.

The whole house was profusely decorated for the occasion, the halls being done in maidenhair fern, lucothia leaves and huge pink chrysanthemums. This same color and greenery was used in the other rooms except the front parlor where the ceremony took place, and which was converted into a beautiful bower of white chrysanthemums with a background of palms, ferns and feathery vines which were entwined around a fence enclosing the improvised altar. Wide liberty satin ribbons marked the isle for the bridal procession which came from the handsomely curled stairs to the doorway entering the parlor and were fastened with immense bows. The little attendants and ring bearers, Edna and Ruth Kleinmaier, led the bridal party dressed in white with pink sashes, pink flowers in their hair and carrying comucopias filled with pink roses and silver baskets containing the rings Next came the bride's sister, Miss Meta Marx, who was gowned in a pink chiffon over a foundation of pink satin and carrying a shower bouquet of pink roses and maidenhair fern. Following the maid, came the groom with his attendant, Mr. Samuel Rosenberg. The bride, leaning upon the arm of her father who gave her in marriage, entered last, and the party was met at the altar by Rabbi Kornfeld, of Columbus, who performed the ceremony before a large circle or relatives.

The bride who is a beautiful brunette was gowned in a gorgeous creation of white chiffon with garniture of baby Irish and lilies of the valley. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and made a beautiful picture of young womanhood in her bridal array.

Miss Amy Turner presided at the piano and Miss Pearl Cheney played softly the march from Lohengrin as the party came down stairs and took places for the service.

After hearty congratulations the guests were escorted to the residence of Mrs. B. E. Kleinmaier where the wedding supper was served.

The bride's table was brilliantly lighted with pink candles placed in rich candlesticks with delicate pink shades. The centerpiece was an arrangement of pink roses and delicate fern leaves. Ropes of southern smilax were festooned around the cloth The place-cards bore "Cupid and the Bride," hand-painted affairs, artistic and very attractive.

The guests' tables contained baskets of pink carnations with green leaves peeping out in graceful style. Mr. and Mrs Hess left that evening for a short western trip. On their return, they will reside at No 581 east Church street where they will be at home after January 1.

The guests from out of the city were Mr. and Mrs Leopold Einstein, Mr. and Mrs. L. Einstein, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Einstein, Mr. Herman Einstein, Mr. Max Einstein, Mr. Albert Einstein, Mr. Jack Einstein, Miss Louise Einstein, Miss Jenette Einstein, Mrs. L. Guggenheim, Mr and Mrs. Solomon Guggenheim, Mr Samuel Guggenheim, Mr and Mrs. Ralph Rosenfelt, Mrs. Meyer Steifel, of Cleveland; Mrs. Eli Winkler, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Harburger, of Cincinnati, and Miss Carrie Hess and Miss Henock, of Edgemeer, Indiana.

WEAVER TO RETURN TO FORMER FIELD

Elected Superintendent of Schools at Prospect.

Prospect, Nov. 23 [Special.]—At a meeting of the board of education, Monday evening, T. B. Weaver, superintendent of schools at Mechanicsburg, was hired for the Prospect schools for a term of two years Mr. Weaver was formerly superintendent of the local schools, but for the past two years has been at Mechanicsburg During his superintendency here, Mr Weaver was well liked and the school board and citizens consider themselves fortunate in again securing his services.

The employment of a new superintendent for the Prospect schools was made necessary by the resignation of D. E Black, who accepted a call to the Richwood schools last week, the superintendent at that place. R. H Allison, having accepted a like position at Chicago Junction The board was reluctant in accepting Mr Black's resignation, he having been an efficient educator at this place for the past two years He will take up his work in the Richwood schools, Monday.

THE ERA OF OTHERISM.

By William T. Ellis.

The International Sunday-School Lesson for November 28 Is "World's Temperance Lesson: Paul on Self-Denial." Rom. 14:10-21.

Men are learning to think in world terms. The simple fact that the number of organizations bearing the words "International," "World's" and "Universal" is rapidly increasing is significant of a momentous trend of the times. That people are entertaining the thought of the whole earth is a sign of progress. Such an event as the round-the-world observance of "World's Temperance Sunday" is in itself a token of the increasing solidarity of the race, and of the brotherhood of mankind.

A century or two ago men thought of the big world only in terms of conquest. The outlying regions were regarded merely as fields for exploitation. The old world considered this new world principally as a place where gain could be got. Selfish commercialism was the uppermost consideration. There is enough of this spirit left; yet there is also a growing tense of the spiritual unity of the human race The West is interested in the East—as witness the Layman's missionary movement campaign now under way—from motives of fraternal solicitude. The tremendous social and economic problems that are arising amid the older peoples are being solicitously observed and discussed by thoughtful men and women everywhere Above the ancient note of conquest sounds the new note of neighborliness. The good of the whole is the good of the world

Labor Unions and "Dry" Wave.

This era of universal altruism, or otherism, is marked by certain signs especially pertinent to the day's Sunday-school lesson. It is an old story that the twenty-five million members of the Sunday-schools have devoted themselves to the study and promotion of temperance; that the church, Protestant and Catholic, takes, as a whole, the same ground The young people's societies, the brotherhoods, the Young Men's Christian associations and the women's societies, are aggressively enlisted for temperance. That unique alliance of the churches known as the Anti-Saloon league has been perhaps the most potent single agency for the promotion of the great cause of otherism, which is synonymous with temperance.

The most recent notable addition to the altruistic agencies of the day is the formal organization of the leaders of labor unionism in a temperance fellowship. This has been perfected during the present month at the international convention of the federation of labor in Toronto. In the face of bitter opposition from the vested interests of the saloon, the foremost leaders of the workingmen have joined hands with a representative of the Christian churches, to drive a wedge that shall completely separate the saloon from unionism. At present many labor unions hold their meetings in connection with retail liquor establishments. That bad custom is on its way to limbo. The American and Canadian workingmen are joining with their British brethren in a great temperance fellowship.

Cleaning Up Society.

Through all this there runs the note sounded by Paul in the lesson passage—self-denial for the sake of others. The scientists have helped bring society to this new state of mind. They have hit hard the notion of dangerous individualism by isolating contagious diseases, and by cleaning up plague spots, however great the inconvenience to the individuals. "Personal liberty" is a plea given scant attention when the board of health officer comes around with his quarantine notices The welfare of the whole supersedes the privileges of the individual Science says that, "willy nilly," men must be altruistic in certain matters.

Of late a cry has been raised which has stirred men to the depths concerning the merchandizing in human beings It seems to be proved that there is an international "white slave" traffic, and that the infamous business has political ramifications The same wave of altruism which has driven out the liquor-saloon from wide areas will ultimately stop this business Before that end is attained, Christian men and women will have to arouse themselves to relentless activity If the locals of Jesus are ever to prevail, his disciples will have to contend for them rigorously. It is a shame that selfish lawlessness should be more shrewd and diligent than unselfish humanitarianism and Christianity.

The Positive Side.

No platform of negatives ever permanently wins Mere prohibitions can not command public allegiance. Just as a child can not successfully be brought up on "don'ts," so social progress may not be expected if men are required only to abstain from doing certain things The positive side of temperance and religion needs to be stressed at all times The glory and dignity and power of self-control, of the tempered and altruistic life, must be held aloft without ceasing

Paul taught the Christliness of otherism He made plain the Christian's duty to deny himself for the sake of a broher. Sometimes this teaching is carried farther than the example or words of the apostle warrant And the "weaker brother is permitted to tyrannize over the Christian's liberty and joy For Paul says, in this lesson to both weak and strong, that one may not judge his brother; it is to Christ that he must render account. Is a Christian woman to do without a beautiful dress because some other Christian woman, of more sombre mind, thinks she should not wear it. Far from it. There is liberty in the Christian life

Above all considerations of "doubtful amusements" or questionable practices stands the Pauline principle. "The Kingdom of God is not eating and drinking, but righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Ghost." If a Christian have not these definite, positive possessions, all his rigorous self-denials will avail him little. The gospel is commended not by what its adherents do without, but by what they possess. Souls that are glad and growing are the best argument for the "Way of Life." It is because the rule of otherism, the law of self-denial, develops strong characters and happy that the Bible prescribes it. The road to all crowns lies over some Calvary.

WILL MAKE FUTURE HOME IN THIS CITY

Miss Nina M. Minshall and Mr. A. L. Wills United.

Miss Nina M. Minshall and Mr. Albert L. Wills were united in marriage at the home of Rev. George M. Rourke, on south Main street, Sunday morning at 8 o'clock.

The young people will make their future home in this city.

Algiers also seems to have a Burbank. A plant expert in Orleansville has succeeded in raising a date without a stone.

EX-OFFICIAL OF THE SUGAR TRUST UNDER INDICTMENT.

The federal officials who are probing the sugar trust frauds against the government in New York seem determined to get at the men "higher up" in addition to the subordinates who already have been indicted in the scandal J. F. Bendernagel, who for fifteen years was general superintendent of the big plant in Brooklyn, has been indicted and placed under arrest. The indictments charge him with being connected with the short-weight frauds President Taft also has taken a hand in the movement against the sugar trust officials, and an effort will be made to punish some of those who sought immunity through the statute of limitation.

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Women—Mrs. James Bohlen, Mrs. G. C. Clark, Mrs. J. C. Conner, care Leon Washburn, Jesse Couts, Mrs. Rena Clark, Mrs. Tom Evans, Mrs. Emma B. Gabel, Minnie Hanes, Kate Impson, Mrs. Bertha Lawbaugh, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. S. W. McCleary, Jannette Wilbur.

Firms—Marion Canning Company.

Foreign—Cologito Uia Cole, Signor Domenico Pagano, Salvatore Montongno, D Giuseppe.

Notice—When calling, please say that mail was advertised.

M. B. Dickerson, P. M.

Report Is Filed.

The report of B. F. Waples and Fred L. Carhart, who were appointed by Judge Daniel Babst to examine the annual report of the county commissioners, was filed by them, Saturday afternoon. They compliment the commissioners' clerk, Miss Pearle V Garfield, because of her accuracy and neatness and put their official O. K. on all the commissioners' transactions.

Poultry Exhibition.

The Bucyrus Poultry & Pet Stock association will give its first annual exhibition, December 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18. The show promises to be a complete success Poultry fanciers interested can get catalogues at once by addressing L. S. Beelman, secretary, Bucyrus, Ohio.

Mayse Is Paroled.

Of the 123 applications for parole made by the inmates of the Ohio state reformatory, at Mansfield, paroles were granted to fifty-nine. Among those who are to go at once or when conditions are met is William Mayse, who was sent up from this city.

The brims of many of the new hats are faced with ribbon, doing away with the necessity for hemming or otherwise finishing the edges.

When the ancients wrote on tablets of stone it required a crowbar to break the news.

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CEILING OF LODGE HALL IS DAMAGED

A Plank Falls Part Way Through the Ceiling.

A peculiar accident resulting in slight damage to the ceiling of the hall of Marion Lodge, No. 402, Knights of Pythias, occurred, Saturday afternoon. The lodge hall had just been decorated and repapered and the decorators were working in a rear room when a crash was heard in the front room. The men made an investigation and found that the ceiling under the cupola was broken and had the appearance of a plank fallen through part way.

The men made their way to the roof and entered the cupola by opening a window. They found a plank that had been used for scaffolding purposes standing in the cupola. The end of the plank was white with plastering and it was apparent that the plank had fallen and passed through the ceiling It is supposed that some person in the cupola dropped the plank and seeing what damage was done, drew the plank back and hurriedly left the place.

PLEASANT SURPRISE FOR LOCAL FRIENDS

Judge George L. Foley Wins Bride in Zanesville.

The many friends of Police Judge George L. Foley, of Zanesville, will be pleased to learn of his marriage to Miss Flora O. Holmes, one of the attractive young women of that city, Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

The marriage rites were performed by Rev. C. L. Alspach at the parsonage, in the presence of a few of the most intimate friends of the couple.

Mr. Foley is a brother of Mrs. J. W. Headley and has a number of other relatives in this city. He has been a frequent visitor here and is held in the highest regard by his acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. Foley will continue their residence in the city which he is serving efficiently as a police judge, an honor conferred on him after a long period of service as probate judge.

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AMERICAN GIRL MUST SERVE TIME

Appeal to American Embassy in London Without Avail.

London, Nov. 23.—The American embassy can not interfere to obtain the release of Alice Paul, the American suffragette who is serving a month in the workhouse at hard labor for smashing a window in the Guild hall during the king's birthday party.

Mrs. W. M Paul, of Morristown, New Jersey, mother of the imprisoned girl, appealed by cable to Ambassador Whitelaw Reid, but the embassy after an investigation said today that interference was impossible as there is no suspicion that the conviction was not justified. An unfair sentence would be the only ground for diplomatic interference.

Alice Paul is a Swarthmore college graduate and comes of a distinguished Quaker family.

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DAMAGE PROCEEDING IS BEGUN IN COURT

Lewis Tron Seeks To Recover from Big Four.

AN ASSIGNMENT OF CHANCERY CASES

Motion for a New Trial in the Damage Suit of Jacob F. Lusch Is Overruled—Move To Partition Hensel Farm in Richland Township—Common Pleas Court Notes.

For damages alleged to have been done fruit trees and fences by sparks from a Big Four engine, Lewis Tron, through Attorney John H. Clark, has brought an action against the C., C., C. & St. L. Railway company, in the common pleas court, to recover $232. The plaintiff sets up that he is the owner of 74.12 acres in Montgomery townshipand charges the defendant with negligence and carelessness.

A motion for a new trial in the suit of Jacob F. Lusch against the Implement Manufacturing company was overruled by Judge W. E. Scofield, Saturday morning.

George S. McGuire, guardian of Goldie B. Hensel and others, through Attorney Fred W. Warner, filed a suit in partition against Elizabeth Hensel and others, Saturday, in the common pleas court. He seeks to partition sixty acres in Richland township.

The amended and supplemental petition of the plaintiff in the suit of John W. Crawford, of Licking county, against Philip Bauer, Jr., was filed in the common pleas court, Saturday, by Attorney L. B. McNeal. The plaintiff seeks to recover $414.16, judgment on two promissory notes.

In the suit of Ralph Sargent against the Lincoln Pharmacy company, Judge W. E. Scofield, has overruled a motion for a new trial.

David Himmegar, arrested on a citation for contempt because he failed to pay his divorced wife alimony as decreed by the court, was arraigned before Judge Scofield, last Friday. He was given a severe lecture by the court and allowed to go on his promise to pay his former wife $15 a month until $45 back alimony is paid. After that he is to pay her $10 a month until the further orders of the court.

In the suit of the Charles Warner company against B. F. Adams and others, County Clerk W. W. Klinefelter, through Prosecuting Attorney Charles L. Justice, filed his answer and cross-petition, November 19. He sets up a claim of $45.93 for costs in a suit wherein Adams was one of the defendants. He asks that the property described in the premises be sold and that his interests be protected.

Margaret Lill against Elizabeth C. Boor and others is the title of a suit filed in common pleas court, Monday morning, by Attorneys Crissinger & Guthery to partition the estate of the late Coonrad Ruth. It consists of 120 acres in Claridon township.

The answer and cross-petition of N. J White has been filed by Attorney L. E. Myers in the suit of John Probst and others against Mildred M. Scoville and others. He sets up a claim of $62 for drilling a well and asks that his interest be protected.

Oscar J. Lusch, administrator of the estate of his father, Fred J. Lusch, has been made a party defendant in the suit of John P. Probst and others against Mildred M. Scoville and others, with leave to plead by December 11.

A reply setting up a general denial by Frank and Charles Hickman, through Attorneys Scofield & Durfee, Monday morning, in the suit of Rollie Hickman against Charles Hickman and others, an action in partition, which was heard in common pleas court, Monday.

Mollie J. Overly against Albert W. Overly is the title of a divorce petition filed by Attorney H. Edmund Hill, Tuesday morning, in the common pleas court. The plaintiff setsup that she was married to the defendant in this city, July 1, 1903, and that one child, now past four years old, was born to them; that the defendant since February, 1909, has neglected and refused to maintain her and their child, and that she has maintained a home through her own industry. She charges the defendant with being quarrelsome and insolent, although she has always been kind and agreeable. She says her husband is a telegraph operator and makes good wages, and asks that she be given a decree of divorce, custody of the child and alimony.

In accordance with one of the rules adopted by the judges of the Tenth judicial district when they met at Kenton several weeks ago, Judge Daniel Babst placed an order on the motion docket, Monday afternoon, directing all attorneys practicing at the bar to return to County Clerk W. W. Klinefelter on or before December 1, 1909, all papers relating to pending causes in their possession.

In the past, many papers have been lost or misplaced in important cases in this district and similar orders have been or will be made in every county in the Tenth judicial district.

In the suit of the Sulpho-Magnetic Springs Sanatorium company against the Assurance Company of America and others, Judge Daniel Babst has overruled the defendant's demurrer to the petition. The defendant is given leave to plead by December 18.

The suit of C. L. Van Inwagen against M. L. Swoveland and others, to marshal liens, Judge Babst heard on the amended answer and cross-petition of the Marion Building, Savings & Loan company, Tuesday. He found defendants Swoveland and King to be in default and ordered the premises sold and proceeds distributed.

The case of Eva Smith, who was fined in the mayor's court for keeping an alleged place where intoxicating liquors were sold, was reversed by Judge Babst, Tuesday. He finds error in the admission and rejection of evidence; also in that the judgment of the lower court was not supported by the evidence. It was also in error in overruling a motion for a new trial. Judgment for costs is made against the defendant-in-error, the state of Ohio.

HEAVY STORM SWEEPS OVER THIS SECTION

It Does Much Damage to Electrical Service.

A HIGH TENSION WIRE PUT OUT OF BUSINESS

It Is Dislodged Between Prospect and Radnor and Linemen Work Several Hours Before the Local Street Car Service Is Restored. Temperature Drops Quickly.

The heavy wind and rain storm which swept over this section, late Monday afternoon, dislodged a high tension wire between Prospect and Radnor, and caused a suspenson of traffic on the C., D. & M., the C., M. & B. and the local street raiway from 5 until 9 p. m. It almost put the street lighting systems here and at Prospect out of business for the same length of time.

The transmission line runs from the big power plant at Stratford to Bucyrus and is known as the feed wire, carrying the electricity that propels the cars. It was snapped by the strong gale, which blew at the rate of sixty miles an hour in that vicinity, and the sparks set fire to one of the huge poles.

With the falling of the wire all cars between Bucyrus and Radnor were brought to a stand until the damage could be repaired. The break was a bad one and it required several hours for the linemen to fix it.

The incandescent service in Marion was hampered but slightly by the accident, the power for these lights being available about 6 o'clock. Considerable local trouble was experienced by the Marion Railway, Light & Power company with crossed wires, but Superintendent Frank Glosser states that all damage has been repaired and no further inconvenience is expected on the part of patrons.

At 8 o'clock Monday night the street cars could be run, but the power from the local plant was not sufficient to push them along much faster than a walk, and no attempt was made to carry fares until the high tension wire was replaced.

The storm came from the northwest in the wake of a day of almost record heat for November and many people thought a cyclone was about to strike. As the storm rapidly approached the clouds began to break and scatter, the rainfall being extremely heavy. A much lower temperature followed the rain.

The accident caught the Star with less than half its edition off and thus greatly delayed delivery.

DEATH DARKENS GLEESPEN HOME

Infant of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gleespen Dies.

Olive, aged six months and ten days, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gleespen, of Quarry street, died of inanition at the family residence, Monday at 6 o'clock a. m The funeral services were held at the house, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, followed by interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

Some women look killing and others look daggers.

THE CARPE DIEM CLUB NICELY ENTERTAINED

Mrs. S. J. Bown Is Hostess to the Members.

SOME FINE PAPERS ON THE PROGRAM

Mrs. J. C. Stubert Entertains the Ladies' Aid Society of Presbyterian Church—Officers Elected by Aid Society of the Methodist Church. Some Richwood Items.

Richwood, Nov. 22.—[Special.]—The Carpe Diem club held its regular program at the residence of Mrs. S. J. Bown, of west Ottawa street, Thursday afternoon. The president, Mrs. G. J. Baldwin, called the meeting to order and the roll was called by the secretary, Mrs. W. H. Husted, the responses being "Early Pathfinders." "Pittsburg, the Early Gateway to the West," was the subject of a splendid paper read by Mrs. J Cushman. Mrs S. W. Van Winkle's subject was "First Steps in Expansion." Mrs. O. L. Mather read a sketch entitled "Life Among the Mountain Whites," and Mrs. Bown's paper on "Early Firesides and Home Life" was interesting and instructive. The club's guests, Mrs. T. Drake and Miss Mabel Richey, of Magnetic Springs, entertained the company with beautiful selections on the piano and violin. The new constitution and by-laws of the club was given its first reading and other business was transacted, after which the club adjourned to meet, November 26, with Mrs. Ralph Case and Mrs. W. H. Husted, at the home of the former, on north Franklin street

Mrs. J. L Horn returned home, Friday, from Lima, where she spent several days with her nephew, Dr. James Mulligan, and family.

Mrs. Charles Bolby, of Columbus, spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Richards and Dr. B. P. Hall and family. Before her marriage, Mrs Bolby was Miss Celia Pringle, formerly of Richwood.

Mrs. T. Drake and Miss Mabel Richey, of Magnetic Springs, were guests of Dr and Mrs. S. J. Bown, during the past week.

Mrs. J. C. Stubert was hostess to the Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church, Friday afternoon, at her home on Wood street. The hours were pleasantly spent with sewing and plans were discussed for the season's work by the organization. Lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. H. V. Spicer and Mrs W. C Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Keigley went visited until Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs McCrea Keigley.

Mrs. William Dyal and granddaughter, Miss Trella Wynegar, accompanied by their guest, Mrs. Ida Johnson, of Bellefontaine, spent Thursday in Columbus, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wynegar.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. P. church was delightfully entertained, Wednesday afternoon, at the country home of Mrs. William Kinney, west of Richwood, the hostess being assisted by Mrs. Salina Kinney and Mrs. C. E. Kinney. The annual election of officers was held, resulting as follows: President, Mrs. C. W. Baker; vice president, Mrs. Louisa Marriott; secretary, Mrs. G. S. Collier; assistant secretary, Miss Carrie Hamilton; treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Lake. Following the business session the hours were spent socially, a number of guests being present. Lunch was served by the hostesses.

Miss Nellie Wyckoff, of Columbus, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elliott, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore, who spent the past several months with their daughter, Mrs. M. Dilsaver and family, left a few days ago for their home in Knoxville, Tennessee.

Rev. Leon Arpee and his sister, Miss Sirouhee T. Arpee, very delightfully entertained the official board of the Presbyterian church, Friday evening, at their home on south Fulton street. The hours were very pleasantly spent in social chat and music, Miss Arpee, who is an exceptionally talented pianist, favoring her guests with a number of her favorite compositions. As a fitting climax to the evening's enjoyment the hostess served luncheon. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Humphreys, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Martin, Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Roebuck, Mr. and Mrs. S A McNeil, Miss Mary Jones, Miss Marion C. Marriott, Messrs C. E. Kagay and D. L. McCombs.

Mrs. B. S. Rust, of Ashtabuia, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Minerva Linder, last week

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCombs were guests, Saturday and Sunday, of the former's sister, Mrs. M. D. Thompson, of Columbus.

R. E Davis, eighth grade teacher in the Richwood schools, was in Cincinnati, Saturday, purchasing band instruments for the new High school brass band, which is being worked up by himself and B. C. Smith, principal of the High school. The band will probably have twenty-four members and its organization will be completed soon.

Mrs. L. S. Colburn, at the Baptist parsonage, was hostess to the Women's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the Baptist church, Wednesday afternoon. A very interesting program was rendered and a pleasant social hour was enjoyed, during which lunch was served. A number of guests were present at the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Spring spent Thursday in Columbus, in which city they may decide to locate.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Fisher and little son, of Columbus, arrived in Richwood Saturday for a few days' visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Fisher, and other relatives.

Mrs. A. B. Simons was hostess to the Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E. church, Wednesday afternoon, at her home on north Franklin street. The program was one of unusual interest and at its close the members and guests spent a delightful social hour, the hostess serving refreshments.

W. E. GALLEHER IS IN SERIOUS CONDITION

He Is the Victim of a Very Peculiar Accident.

W. E. Galleher, formerly of this city, but now residing in Columbus, was the victim of a peculiar accident, Thursday night, as a result of which he is in a serious condition. While eating popcorn, Thursday night, one of the grains lodged in his throat. Gallaher suffered much. The grain of corn was then dislodged and entered one of his lungs. The grain punctured the lung and caused him to have several severe hemorrhages. He was attended by Dr. Holmes, at his home on north High street and it was with difficulty that the grain was removed. He has since suffered several hemorrhages and his condition is serious. His mother and father went to Columbus, Sunday, to be at his bedside.

CASKEY AND HIS WIFE AGREE TO DISAGREE

Trouble Is Settled in Local Police Court.

CASKEY PROMISES TO SUPPORT CHILD

George Sweeney Is Fined Ten Dollars for Assaulting Charles Bennett. He Pays the Fine—Albert Jones, Colored, Is Arrested on an Old Charge—Notes of Police Court.

Alvey Caskey was arrested at his home on Lee street, Sunday evening, by Officer Thompson, on a warrant charging him with threatening in a menacing manner. The affidavit for the warrant was sworn to by Caskey's wife, who said that, Friday night and Saturday morning, her husband threatened her and left, Saturday morning, for LaRue. He returned, Sunday evening, and his arrest followed.

Caskey's wife appeared against him, Moday, and their family trouble was settled before the mayor without any legal proceedings. The couple has not been getting along very well. Consequently they decided to separate and in view of the husband agreeing to stay away from the house and support a minor child, the affidavit was withdrawn and the case dismissed.

Charles Bennett filed an affidavit in the mayor's court, Sunday evening, charging George Sweeney with assault and battery. A warrant was issued and Sweeney was arrested next morning. Bennett alleged that Sweeney struck him without provocation, while they were passing on west Center street, Sunday afternoon. Sweeney pleaded guilty to the charge when arraigned before the mayor and was find $10 and the costs in the case. He settled and was released.

On the affidavit of Robert Finley, colored, filed in the mayor's court almost two months ago, Albert Jones, colored, was arrested, Sunday, on a charge of assault. At the time the affidavit was issued, Finley alleged that he was robbed of a dollar and some change. Jones left the city after learning that he was wanted and just returned. He will be given a hearing as soon as Finley can be secured to appear against him.

A LONG ILLNESS RESULTS IN DEATH

Mrs. William E. Wynn Passes Away.

Una L. Wynn, aged thirty years, wife of William E. Wynn, died of dropsy and complications at her home at the junction of the Prospect and Green Camp roads, Saturday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. She had been ill many weeks.

The deceased was born in Morrow county, but had lived in Marion county many years. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Poland, who, with her husband, survive.

The funeral services were held at the residence, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. L. Hensley officiating. Interment took place in the Otterbein cemetery.

Some men are driven to drink, some walk up to it and some have drink driven to them.

Do as you please and you'll be the only person pleased.

ITS THIRD TRIP TO THE CIRCUIT COURT

Matter of John Herr Against the Erie Company.

HERR SEEKING TO RECOVER DAMAGES

Suffers Loss of Horses, Which Get on the Railway Tracks—The Plaintiff Claims the Defendant Company Is Responsible Because of Negligence. Former Judgments Given.

A petition-in-error in a suit that has thrice been tried in the common pleas court and twice reversed by the circuit court was filed in the circuit court by Attorneys Crissinger & Guthery last Friday. It is an action in which John Herr is the defendant-in-error and the Erie Railroad company the plaintiff-in-error.

February, 1904, Herr brought suit in the common pleas court against the railroad company to recover $550 damages for the killing of several horses. He claimed that the animals got on the Erie right-of-way as a result of negligence on the part of the company, which, it was alleged, failed to keep up its fences properly. The case was tried January 13, 1906, and a jury returned a verdict of $549.61 in favor of Herr. Attorneys for the railroad company then took the case up on error to the circuit court, which found error at the October term of 1906 and remanded it back to common pleas court for retrial. February 10, 1908, the case was again tried in the common pleas court and Herr obtained a judgment for $359.80. Again it was taken to the circuit court on error and again it was reversed and remanded back to common pleas for retrial, Judge Silas Hurin scoring Attorney John D. DeGolley, Herr's counsel, for alleged misconduct.

March 29, 1909, Herr again got judgment for $465.79, and for the third time the case is taken to the circuit court on error. In the petition filed Friday it is set up that the court erred in refusing to charge the jury as requested by the railroad attorneys and to withdraw alleged remarks made by Herr's attorneys.

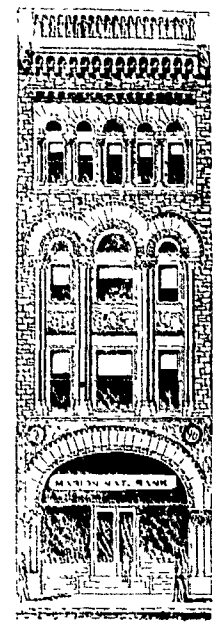
Four Ribs Broken.

Benjamin Jarriett, a colored bodcarrier, whose home is in Cleveland, fell from a scaffolding, Saturday at 10 o'clock, at the new building being erected by the Marion Steam Shovel company. Four ribs on the left side were broken and his left hip was slightly fractured. He fell a distance of about ten feet and landed on his side across a tie.

The injured man was taken to the Central Emergency hospital in the Hess & Markert ambulance. Dr. A. Rhu attended him.

Manicures would always be busy if they could improve the hands of poker players.

Even sensible men talk nonsense to women.



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pippin differs from every other. What one State knows as pippin another State greets by apple a different name. The Ben Davis, for instance, so known in the middle West, is known in New York State as a New York pippin.

Almost every propagator of apples has found, if his experience and his orchards are extensive, some specimen which he thought entitled to such names as Seek No Further, Nonsuch and Sine Qua Non; so that if one receives an apple bearing one of these names in Massachusetts it may differ exceedingly from one of the same name offered to him in Wisconsin. But they are all likely to be worth the eating if their grower has seen fit to honor them with such names.

Many apples achieve an enviable local reputation, but do not become known outside a rather restricted territory, as they will not stand shipment. As an example, there is the Primate, propagated and raised near Syracuse, in New York. Those who know it through finding it in its home are its fond admirers. But it cannot widen its acquaintance through travel.

The most interesting achievement in the producing of curious or interesting apples is to be credited to Luther Burbank, who has grown, quite by intent and not through accident, an apple one-half of which is yellow and sour and the other half red and sweet.

Naturally there have been efforts to produce seedless apples, but success had not, so far, attended them. Some hold that the seedless apple would be a mistake. There are many who really like the pulp of the apple seeds, and always include the eating of them as the finishing part of an apple.

The longer apples remain on the tree, unless the weather becomes too cold to permit their exposure, the better the flavor and keeping qualities. The fruit that comes to perfection the farthest north, as that in the Hood river region of Oregon, appears to have the finest keeping qualities, without deterioration in flavor.

Of the varieties raised in the East the winter russets keep longest without being put in cold storage, and really reach the full perfection of flavor only late in the winter or in the early spring. It used to be considered a marvellous and almost an impossible thing to keep apples over from the fall till the first summer apples appeared, but with methods of cold storage so extensively used as they are now, this is easily achieved, and with far less deterioration in flavor than might be reasonably expected.

Many contrivances have been tried for the picking of apples, with the hope of lessening the time and trouble spent in picking them by hand, but so far the hand picked apple is the most satisfactory of the gathered fruit. Careful handling too of apples is a prime necessity in keeping apples at their best, and the choicest varieties are wrapped in paper and put into boxes, instead of barrels, with as much care as is bestowed upon the packing of oranges.

Motor Vehicle Tags.

Motor vehicle 1910 license tags will be subject to criminal prosecution. Automobile owners should file their applications early, as the department will, no doubt, be swamped with thousands of applications during the latter part of December.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request or can be procured from any registered manufacturer or dealer of motor vehicles or at the office of county clerk.

YOUNG MAN MEETS DEATH IN QUARRY

Harry Howard Is Victim of a Fatal Accident.

Relatives and friends in this city will regret to learn of the death of Harry Howard, the twenty-two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howard, of Fulton, which occurred as the result of a fall into a stone quarry at that place, Monday morning. He was a nephew of Mrs. W. J. Ewers, of south Grand avenue, where he has visited frequently.

Given His Liberty.

Daniel Barnes, who has been in jail since October 2 for unlawful trainbriding, was given his liberty by County Auditor Charles L. Allen, today. Barnes, a hobo, was arrested by Detective Edward Masterson, of the Pennsylvania, and was fined five dollars and costs by Justice Charles E. Gompf. He was committed to jail in default of payment.

Potatoes should boil slowly to prevent the skins from curling off.

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A bad back is always bad.
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If you don't, some Marion people do.

Read a case of it:

Mrs. Thomas Moore, 279 S. Prospect Street, Marion, Ohio, says: "I was subject to attacks of backache and often I had pains extending from my loins into my head. I was restless at night and my housework was very irksome. Having Doan's Kidney Pills brought to my notice, I obtained a supply at Schmidt & Co's Pharmacy and a few days after I commenced to use, all signs of my trouble disappeared. Another member of my family who was afflicted with rheumatism took Doan's Kidney Pills and they were very beneficial in this case."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Dr. Frederick Campbell Tells of Its Unsubstantial Nature.

EARTH PASSES THROUGH COMET'S TAIL IN 1832

The Nature of the Nucleus—Earthly Substances in It—How a Dark Comet Becomes Light and Grows a Tail—Now-Found Pressure of Light—Sun Destroyer of Comets.

Fifth Article.

In preceding chapters we have inquired into the appearance, distances, dimensions, dates, course and history of that stupendous object, Halley's comet, which is just unsheathing its sword to suspend it over our guilty heads for months. It is now time to make an investigation into the nature of so extraordinary an object.

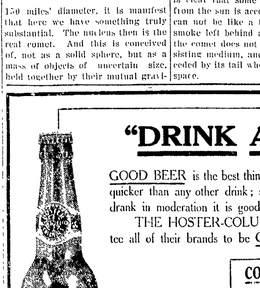
The impressive thing about a comet is its long, sweeping tail. Halley's has been seen to reach a length of forty-five degrees, which is equal to a line of ninety full moons in appearance this is not unlike a searchlight, which, cast across a landscape, illumines all the finest particles of dust and moisture which happen in its way, giving an impression of substantiality far beyond the facts. It is perfectly easy for a child to walk through the beam of a searchlight, and to throw its full force upon a talking leaf would not disturb it in the least.

It is somewhat so with a comet's tail. It is one of the most unsubstantial things in the universe. The tiniest stars can be distinctly seen through millions of miles of its thickness on the 26th of June, 1819, the earth passed through a comet's tail without any result. The very best vacuum secured in the laboratory is regarded as solid millstone, compared with the density of a comet's head from which it proceeds.

The solid part of a comet is its nucleus, or core. This is at the center of its head, and shows more brightly than the rest. A large part of the head is clearly as unsubstantial as the tail, and may be likened to steamish vapors. Because of the nature et these it is difficult to secure an accurate measurement of the nucleus, yet it would be to judge of the size of Paderewski's skull beneath its corona of waving hair. But, when Professor Charles A. Young says that the mass of the head of an average three comet like Halley's may be regarded as equal to a ball of iron of

Halley's Comet, October 29, 1835.
[From an old drawing.]

150 miles' diameter, it is manifest that here we have something truly substantial. The nucleus then is the real comet. And this is conceived of, not as a solid sphere, but as a mass of objects of uncertain size, held together by their mutual gravitation of the sun's attraction and the division of the object into smaller particles. The substances expelled from the nucleus of a comet by the sun constitute the most finely divided matter conceivable; hence the most sensitive to the action of light. Some think that there is an actual bombardment of these particles by corpuscles proceeding from the sun with enormous speed. Hence they are swept back into space in the form of a tail, whose light is chiefly if not wholly, reflected sunlight, while that of the head is partly reflected and partly the outcome of energies set into action by the sun's influence.



Halley's Comet, October 12, 1835.
[From an old drawing.]

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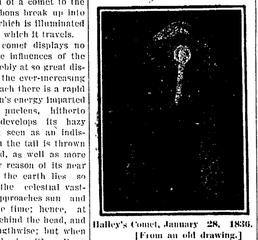

Halley's Comet, January 28, 1836.
[From an old drawing.]

Comparative sizes of Neptune and the earth. To Neptune is given the honor of having captured Halley's comet.
[Drawn by the author.]

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TWO KILLED AT ALABAMA DANCE

Insult to Young Woman Leads to Free-for-All Fight.

Mobile, Ala., Nov. 22.—A fight, in which two men were killed and several others seriously wounded, occurred here. The dead: Bert Pierce, beaten to death with pickets and his head crushed in; Mack McKenzie, shot in the left side, the bullet ranging upward toward the heart. The wounded: John Finley, two brothers of Pierce and one of the McKenzies.

The fight in which the two men lost their lives occurred at a dance, in which about 30 people took part. Bert Pierce asked one of the Misses Nelson to dance with him, and she refused. The young man became angry and is said to have made an insulting remark. The Nelson boys took up the matter and the boys went outside before the fight started.

The ratio of pauperism in England a thousand was 24.1 at the close of January; at the close of May it was 22.4.

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Frank Sullivan, brother of the girl, swore out warrants this afternoon against John Mandoli, Theodore Spangler and two unnamed men, alleging they are the assailants of his sister. The police are searching for them but believe they have left town. It was stated this afternoon that the girl's condition is critical.

Opening ceremonies, by the officers.

Invocation, Rev. J. P. Currin.

Music, Philharmonic Quintet club.

"Lead, Kindly Light," Elks' quartet.

Eulogy, Hon. Grant E. Mouser.

Solo, Walter S. Moore.

Address, Hon. Atlee Pomerene, of Canton.

Solo, Mrs. George Wemple Dolley.

Closing ceremonies, by the officers.

Doxology.

Benediction, Rev. J. P. Currin.

The Elks will meet at the lodge-room at 1 o'clock and march to the Grand opera-house, where the exercises will be held at 2 o'clock.

The departed members of Marion Lodge, No. 32, B. P. O. Elks, are as follows:

Edgar A. Dombaugh, James S. Reed, Rollo C. Perry, George Key, Harvey Millisor, James H. Reed, T. H. B. Beale, W. T. McKelvy, John E. Rhoads, S. T. Beerbower, George W. McMurray, George C. Pendon, Maurice Breen, Henry True, John H. Criswell, Clyde W. King and Boston G. Young.

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The Discoverer.

"Ever since 1866, Mrs. Eddy's life has been devoted to the work of bringing to mankind this revelation of the way of salvation. She has done this with such singleness of purpose, that mankind is awakening to the recognition of her work as inspired, that Christian Science is the spirit of the word which Jesus portrayed. Christian Scientists do not worship Mrs. Eddy, nor do they worship the word of God deify her in their thought. The whole teaching of Christian Science leads us to put God under foot; to have no other way nor will save God's way and God's will; and Mrs. Eddy asks the world, each one of us, to follow her only so far as she follows Christ. In her the followers of Christ she has been the instrument whereby the feet of hundreds of thousands have been planted upon the rock of the proved truth of God's promises, and against that rock, in the words of the Master, "the gates of hell shall not prevail." We do love our leader, and we grow her the allegiance and devotion to which her tireless labor in mankind's behalf is entitled

Personal Experience.

"As a boy and young man I heard continually that God was responsible for all things; that suffering and sickness and misery and wretchedness were in some way associated with His great plan of salvation, and in my hours of agony and helplessness I was so overwhelmed with fear of God that I reached a point where I had no belief in Him, and my whole desire was to get away from Him if it were possible, to find something that would shield me from the sickness and misery that I was continually called upon to suffer. I and no God, I had nothing to trust, nothing to love, nothing to look forward to, and I had come to feel that I did not care to hear about God, and church-going had become a burden to me.

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While sentiment was unanimous that the independents must consolidate for their protection, delay was decided upon because of general uncertainty as to whether the interests which recently have spent $12,000,000 for Ohio and Indiana companies represent the Bell organization or the Postal Telegraph company.

THE STORK FOLLOWS CIRCUS IN VIRGINIA

Bird Has a Very Busy Day in Schoolfield.

Two sets of triplets, three pairs of twins and two regular babies, making a total of fourteen children born to seven families in the same town on the same day, is the unprecedented record of Schoolfield, a suburb of Danville, Va. The births came in the wake of a circus that visited the city. Residents of the place are looking forward with interest to another circus day.

MRS. ADA BALLOU, WHO IS TO MARRY LYMAN J. GAGE

Here is a picture of the charming Mrs. Ada Ballou, who will be married to Lyman J. Gage, former secretary of the treasury, on Thanksgiving day. Mrs. Ballou, who lives at Coronado, near San Diego, California, is rich and stately. She has pale blue eyes and a mass of titian hair. She sings well, plays the piano and has the reputation of being one of the most fascinating women in California. Her first husband died soon after their marriage. Mr. Gage is seventy-three years, and has been married twice.

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THE COUNTY OFFICIALS ASK APPROPRIATIONS

Amount Wanted for Deputies and Clerks

TOTAL OF $9,240 IS WANTED FOR OFFICES

The Amount Requested Is Slightly Above That of Last Year—The Request for Appropriations Are Filed in Accord with the Law—Some Filed Late Saturday

For 1911 Marion county officials have asked the board of commissioners a total appropriation of $9,240 to pay their deputies assistants bookkeepers clerks and other employes For 1909, their expenditures for deputies and clerks they estimate at $9,091

Under the requirements of section No 3 of the act of March 22 1906 detailed statements of the probable amounts necessary to be expended for the above purposes must be filed November 20 of each year It was late Saturday before all the officials filed their statements with the commissioners

Treasurer W C Wottring asks $1,200 for his deputy L G Jones and $720 for clerk hire For 1909 his expenditure for deputys salary is $1,200 and $600 for clerk hire

Recorder Edward P Hitchbaugh asks $800 for his deputy I J Stafford, and $800 for recording clerks The estimated expenditure for deputys salary and recording clerk hire for 1909 is $1,600 the total being the same as for 1910

Clerk W W Klinefelter requests an appropriation of $800 for deputies His estimated expenditure for clerk hire this year is $480

Sheriff John G Stark asks $1,200 for his deputy, Cornelius Preen the same as for 1909

Probate Judge W S Spencer requests $1,200 for his deputy John M Brigel, and $600 for clerk hire The deputys salary for 1909 is the same, while the estimated expenditure for clerk hire is $471

County Auditor Allen asks an appropriation of $1,200 for his deputy Jay Spaulding, clerk $720 and copying clerk $380 This is practically the same as for 1909

MRS E E DROWN GETS DEATH MESSAGE

M G Standifft Dies at His Home in Alabama

M G Standifft, a former resident of LaRue and a brother of Mrs L L Drown, of McWilliams court died at his home, near Montgomery Alabama, Sunday night at 11 30 o'clock Mrs Drown received a telegram telling of his death, Monday It did not give the cause Several weeks ago she received a letter from him and at that time he was enjoying good health

Mr Standifft was sixty six years old and lived at LaRue about fifteen years ago His wife died in Toledo seven or eight years ago He moved to Alabama two years ago and was engaged in farming He was a veteran of the civil war

The remains were shipped to Toledo for interment

ASK THE MINISTER TO SUPPRESS WEDDING

Miss Phillips and Mr Harry H Straw United

Miss Laura M Phillips and Mr Harry H Straw were married by Rev H V McCleary at his home on Olney avenue Sunday They were unattended and asked the minister not to report their marriage to the newspapers But the groom overlooked a detail Saturday when he had it placed in the marriage license record that Rev Mr McCleary would perform the ceremony

Mr and Mrs Straw will make their future home in Marion

HASTINGS HOME IS SCENE OF MARRIAGE

Miss Johnson and Mr I M Bucknell Married

Miss Indiana Johnson and Ames M Bucknell were united in marriage at the home of Mrs D Hastings on east George street Sunday afternoon at 2 30 o'clock Rev David H Bailey pastor of the Epworth M E church performed the ceremony in the presence of a small company of friends

Mr and Mrs Bucknell left immediately for Muncie Indiana where both will engage in Salvation army work

LUNG TROUBLE IS CAUSE OF DEATH

Mr. and Mrs Frank Harman Lose Little Son

Congestion of the lungs caused the death of Corey Franklin aged five months, son of Mr and Mrs Frank Harman, of Mary street Sunday morning at 2 o'clock after an illness of two weeks The funeral services were held at the family residence Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock Rev G M Rourke officiating

The remains were shipped to Mt Victory for interment

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AN ARGUMENT FOR EXPANSION OF CITY

Suburban People Get Benefits and Should Pay

THE SCHOOL BOARD WILL TAKE ACTION

If City Council Refuses To Extend the Corporation Lines the Board of Education Will Extend School District So as To Take in Thickly-Populated Suburbs

One of the arguments to be used in the movement to annex suburban territory to the city is that people residing outside the corporation limit enjoying the same benefits of those inside will be denied all city privileges if they do not come into the city

Every effort will be made to boost the city's population to 50,000 when the United States census is taken These figures will stand ten years and no matter how much the city grows or how much new territory is taken in after the census is taken it will not benefit the city from a census viewpoint

Marion will be judged by the United States census of 1910 and business men and citizens in general who are interested in putting Marion in a city of the 50,000 class will bring considerable pressure to bear upon Dr J C Porter the next mayor and the next council to annex much of the present outlying territory if the present council does not act

J Wilbur Jacoby, clerk of the board of education has now prepared a communication on this subject which he will send to council to be read at its next meeting The board of education wants to know if the city is going to take into its corporation many of the thickly populated districts the residents of which are now sending their children to the city schools without the payment of tuition The board of education is in favor of annexation its members believe that these children are entitled to the advantages of Marion's public schools and if the council does not take them into the city the board will enlarge its school district in order to give them the opportunity of attending the Marion schools without paying tuition

Much of the territory lying adjacent to the city limits has the same fire protection and water works privileges as that given the people residing in the city The suburbanite enjoys the city's benefits but the Marion property owner foots the bills in paying the taxes

JOINED IN MARRIAGE AT THE PARSONAGE

Miss Laura May Dille and Mr Jacob Neuman

Miss Laura May Dille and Mr Jacob Neuman both of this city were united in marriage by Rev F L Zechiel at the Reformed parsonage Saturday evening at 8 o'clock They were unattended

Both Mr and Mrs Neuman are quite well known here Mr Neuman is employed at the Pluck meat market They will reside at No 640 east Fleming street

PRODUCTION AND WAGES TAKE TUMBLE IN STATE

A Decrease Is Shown in Report Just Filed

LABOR COMMISSIONER GIVES STATEMENT

Average Wages Decrease from $2 15 to $2 13—It Is Found Easier To Get Work Because of Improved Methods in Doing Business—Review of an Interesting Report

Columbus O Nov 22—A decrease in both production and wages of those engaged in the industries of the state is shown in the annual report of State Labor Commissioner Charles Wurmel filed with Governor Harmon Saturday for the year 1908 Work of compilation of data the labor statistics of the state almost ever During the year reported upon the number of males employed was 111 per cent fewer than in the previous year and the number of females 5 per cent fewer Average wages decreased from $2 15 to $2 13 Report is made by Commissioner Wurmel upon the employment furnished for the fiscal year ended November 1 1909 It shows that 468 positions were secured during the year at a cost to the state of $15 107 3 as against 1 327 secured in the previous year at a cost of $1 1 5 18

Commissioner Wurmel has been in office half a year and put himself on the back for the showing that during the first half of the year that he was in office positions were secured at an average cost of 78 cents while during the last half of the year 1 881 positions were secured at an average cost of 48 cents He calls this showing to the importation of better business methods

CORONER'S FINDING IN NELLIE HARRIS' DEATH

Woman Does Not Die by Her Own Hand

SOME EVIDENCES OF MURDER ARE FOUND

The Coroner Recommends That the Grand Jury Take Action in the Matter—Witnesses Are Averse to Giving Testimony in the Case—Attitude of Mrs McFarland

A Washington special to the Cleveland Plain Dealer of Sunday says

Coroner Frank C Hunter rendered a verdict today to the effect that Miss Nellie Harris did not die by her own hand and recommended that the grand jury investigate the shooting

Miss Harris was the daughter of the late Stephen Harris of Lucyrus once congressman She died here early in September of a bullet wound in her head and since then the household of Mrs Lillian McFarland in whose home the shooting was done has been dragged most publicly through the coroner's office

The first attempt to hold the inquest was balked by the refusal of Mrs McFarland to answer a summons as a witness even after it had been served upon her by deputies who broke down the front door of her house and finally pulled her from bed Mrs McFarland obtained a physician's certificate which excused her from appearance that night but her daughter and a guest Miss Searcy of Alabama went in answer to summonses served by the door breaking deputies

Another guest Mrs McPherson of Chicago whose real name is said not to be McPherson declined to come here to testify She left on the day of the shooting and Coroner Hunter later obtained a statement from her in Chicago but even it will not tell who she is

The deposition of Dr W I Bloyer a physician of Cincinnati who performed an autopsy shortly after Miss Harris death was taken in Cincinnati yesterday In his testimony Dr Bloyer states that he did not observe any singeing of the hair burning of the face or powder marks of any kind and that from all the conditions as he found them he did not think it was possible for Miss Harris to have taken her own life

Warrant For Arrest

A United Press wire from Wapakoneta tells of a development in the Nellie Harris case as follows

A warrant for arrest on a charge of lunacy has been placed in the hands of Sheriff Lehr commanding him to bring Mrs L F McFarland into the presence of Probate Judge Laughlin of Auglaize county, for examination The hearing is set for November 24 at 10 a m

The warrant was issued on affidavit of Clifford Blair court stenographer of this district

This action is the outgrowth of the inquiry of Coroner Hunter into the death of Miss Nellie Harris who was found dead with a bullet hole in her head and a revolver by her side at the home of Mrs McFarland, here October 2

Mrs L MacFarland was placed under arrest at 6 o'clock Monday evening by Sheriff Lehr on the lunacy warrant She was permitted to remain at a local hotel under guard until her lunacy hearing in probate court Wednesday

There is apparently no motive back of the affidavit of Mr Blair, except that he states he believes Mrs MacFarland is mentally unsound and is fearful she will do him bodily injury

Seriously Injured

Fred Forider of No 515 Bellefontaine avenue had his left shoulder fractured and dislocated as a result of being struck by a falling partition while engaged in razing an old house on the D McWilliams farm two miles and a half east of the city Monday He was brought home by Mr McWilliams and Dr F L Hedges attended him

Gabler Resigns

F C Gabler has purchased the grocery of Edward Smith on north Greenwood street and has tendered his resignation with Wills Lutz & Company's express the same to take effect December 1 Mr and Mrs Smith will leave in the near future for Seattle Washington where they expect to make their future home

The fur collar not long ago was the recognized trimming for a coat but now embroidery takes its place

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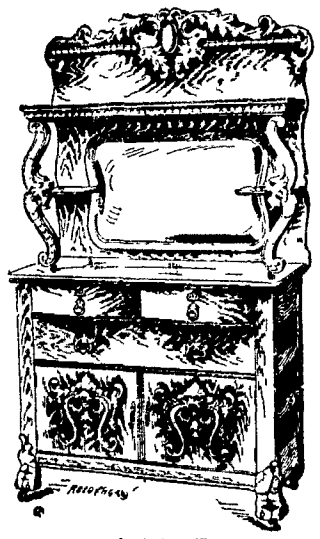

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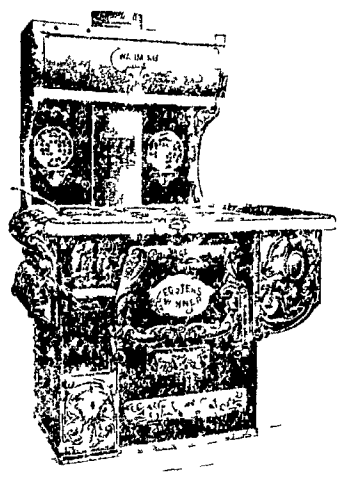

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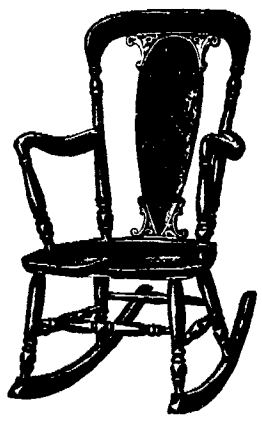

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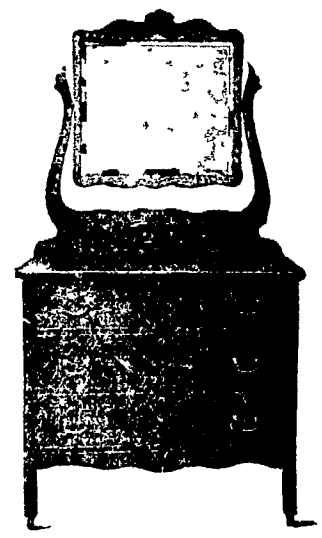

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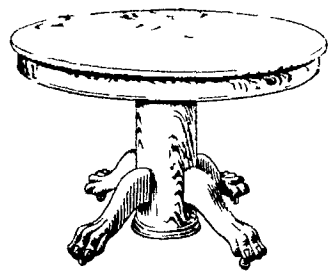

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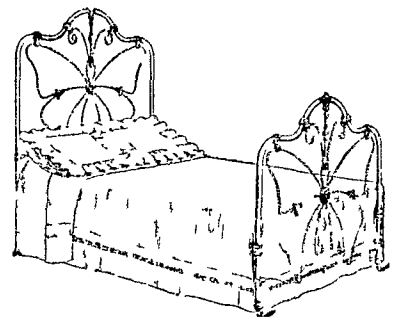

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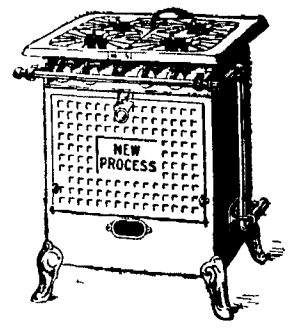

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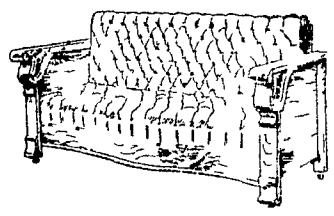

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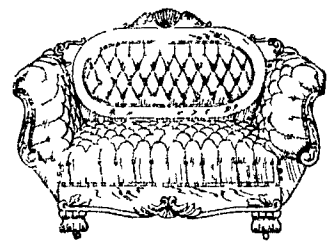

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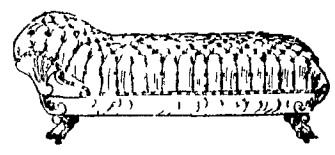

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ROYAL S. FISH DIES AFTER SHORT ILLNESS

Mr Fish Reaches an Extreme Old Age

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Is a Son of Pioneer Settlers and Devotes His Life Until 1880 to Farming—He Retires from Farm and Moves to This City—Funeral Services Sunday Afternoon

Royal S Fish aged eighty years seven months and twenty two days died at his home No 320 west Center street Friday evening at 8 o'clock Death was due to obstruction of the bowels superinduced by peritonitis

For one of his advanced years Mr Fish had enjoyed remarkably good health until two weeks ago when he took to his bed Friday morning about 5 o'clock he sank into unconsciousness and the attending physician said that death would be only a matter of hours He died without regaining consciousness

Mr Fish was born and raised in Marion county and was one of the best known residents of the city He was a son of Samuel and Hannah Fish early pioneer settlers and was born in Pleasant township He followed the occupation of farming until 1880 when he retired and moved to Marion where he has since lived

Mr Fish was never married He was the fourth of nine children all of whom are now dead save Mrs I P Crotty of Richwood and Mrs Hannah Isley of Portland Oregon

The funeral services were held at the late residence Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock Rev George M Reed pastor of the First Presbyterian church of which he had been a member since 1885, officiated

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Farm Is Sold

From the west court house steps Saturday afternoon Auctioneer J A Reed sold to the highest bidder a farm of sixty acres, known as the Morgan thaler place located in Pleasant township to William L Morgenthaler at his bid of $6 700 The farm was appraised at $6 0 3 6 and the buyer started the bidding at $1 100

A pretty girl is eagerly listened to even though she says nothing when she talks

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